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THE WEATHER.

BRIEF REPORT.

FORECAST—For Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair; cooler; fresh west winds. For San Francisco and vicinity: Fair; fresh north winds.

Sunrise, 5:40; sunset, 6:13; moon sets 7:13 p. m.

YESTERDAY—Maximum temperature, 67 deg.; minimum, 50 deg. Wind 5 a. m., northeast; velocity, 3 miles; 5 p. m., west; velocity, 14 miles. At midnight the temperature was 50 deg.; clear.

TODAY—At 2 a. m. the temperature was 49 deg.; clear.

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THE CITY. Travel-scarred Italian car greeted by throng here on New York to Paris race, plucky contestants given ovation and sent on way to north, far behind American car, well ahead of the French....Half-million-dollar cinch on one city block hard blow to few owners; court holds up assessment....Old convict, Los Angeles murderer, whose invention has saved State much money, seeks pardon....Southern Pacific gets injunction that hits scalpers mighty blow. Los Angeles-Pacific runs first broad-gauge cars over several lines....Dog poisoner claims valuable victims. Rich loot found in room of boy robbers....Ruby Casselman says snub by Sunday-school associates was hardest blow of all; is held for trial....Republican County Central Committee fills precinct vacancies....Broadening scope of city playgrounds....Fight over wholesale liquor licenses transferred from Council to the courts....Two hundred naval officers for great fleet ball....Kindergarten supervisor back from eastern trip.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Wife of race track horseman slays woman in Monrovia; says her victim had despoiled her home....San Gabriel postmaster held up by masked men and compelled to hand over $50....Mystery of missing Redondo man deepens. Twenty-five cent rate in prospect for boats to warships at Long Beach. San Bernardino Elks to build....Receiver for Ventura bank....Speaker at Pasadena gathering presents stirring facts on the California Indians and declares that thousands of them are in starving condition.

PACIFIC SLOPE. President and cashier of Bisbee (Ariz.) First National Bank arrested on charge of misapplication of bank's funds....Judge Dunne files affidavit explaining his part in midnight meeting, contradicting rabbis, and declaring ignorance at that time of immunity contract. Rear-Admiral Evans is due today in San Diego on board his flagship, the Connecticut, from Magdalena Bay on way to hot springs....Charges against Napa hospital physician, matron and assistant matron withdraw and they are reinstated....Encouraging and enthusiastic reports made by Y.W.C.A. organizations at Capitola conference. Heavy fall of snow in Montana pleases farmers and stockmen as danger of dry season is dispelled....District Court of Appeals in San Francisco decides that pay of appointed officers may be increased during term of office....Fiancée of man arrested for robbery, wires mother for money to pay fare back home....Garden vegetables ruined by frost in Sacramento River Island district.

GENERAL EASTERN. Federal court decides against State in railroad rate suit in Missouri....Court must decide if $20,000 worth of clothes in nine months are "necessaries" for Mrs. Howard Gould....California Congressmen who denied supporting Owens River Aqueduct Project are promptly contradicted by Forester Pinchot and Representative McLachlan, who produces written evidence....Plans being carried out for segregation of Rock Island, 'Frisco and Choctaw railroad system....United States Senator Jeff Davis beaten in street fight in Little Rock by Deputy Prosecutor Helm and is arrested....Mme. Anna Gould defies her family, will wed her prince and fight, if need be, for her inheritance. State Department exhausts diplomacy with Venezuela and Congress is asked to authorize the President to take what action is necessary to protect American citizens' property....Suit is brought by Illinois to compel the Illinois Central to pay $15,000,000 back taxes....Five Democrats defeat both the Foraker and Warner resolutions to reinstate Brownsville negro soldiers. Efforts to overthrow Parsons and McClaren in New York primaries fail, both bosses winning hands down.

CALLED TO ACCOUNT.

ILLINOIS WAKES UP.

I. C. Railroad Accused of Frauds.

State Demands Fifteen Millions Back Taxes on Charter Line.

False Statements, Conspiracy and Manipulation Are Charged.

Sensational Suit Cites Specific Instances of Wrongdoing.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SPRINGFIELD (Ill.) March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] False and fraudulent statements, conspiracy to defraud, and all sorts of manipulation to swindle the State of Illinois, are charged in the amended bill against the Illinois Central Railroad, by the State, which is seeking to recover fifteen million dollars back taxes. The bill probably will be filed this week and a hearing had on the case or the railroad's demurrer at the May term of court.

The State charges that the charter line, upon which 7 per cent. of the gross earnings should have been paid to the State, in lieu of taxation, has been milked in every conceivable manner by the most cunning legal minds money could employ. Subsidiary companies, it is charged, have been formed, always with the single purpose of defrauding the State.

Traffic is not only diverted from the charter line to non-charter lines of the system, but, whenever it is possible to avoid a charter line haul, some arbitrary and ingenious plan is evolved whereby all but a small portion of the charter line earnings is diverted to another channel of the company's earnings, so that the State may be mulcted of its share.

The Cairo bridge is owned absolutely by the Illinois Central Railroad, but under a separate charter organization. As a result, while the State claims title to its share in one-half the bridge earnings, toll is collected for the bridge arbitrary upon every pound of freight shipped to or from the charter line via the bridge. It is said that in instances more is paid for the haul across the Cairo bridge than for the haul over the charter line from Cairo to Chicago.

ENORMOUS DEFLECTIONS.

From the time the Cairo bridge was opened, in June, 1890, to October 31, 1906, there was taken out of the Illinois Central Railroad earnings as bridge tolls $14,995,441. In the year ending October 31, 1906, the Illinois Central was charged $2,047,058 for bridge tolls at this point. At the same time, the Mobile and Ohio Railroad paid $213,140 for the use of the bridge, making the total earnings for the year about $2,300,000. One-half of this sum of $14,995,441, it is charged, was deducted from the earnings of the charter line before anything was paid into the State Treasury, and no accounting ever was made to the State for any of this amount.

Similar conditions are cited as existing with reference to the Dunleith and Dubuque bridge over the Mississippi at the terminus of another of the road's charter lines. The total bridge toll deducted since 1877 aggregates $6,211,392, and the bill charges that one-half of this amount was wrongfully deducted from the charter line and never reported to the State.

From the railroad company's records it is shown that on traffic north and south via Cairo the earnings are divided by giving the line south of Cairo, which is a non-charter line, the local rate, which is much higher than the through rate, and apportioning to the charter line just what happens to remain. Experts found that, in some instances, more money was paid for crossing the Cairo bridge than the charter line received for hauling the same consignment from Cairo to Chicago.

SPECIFIC INSTANCES.

A great number of specific instances of fraud are cited.

It is shown that, in apportioning the earnings for a haul from Chicago to Jackson, Tenn., after deducting the Cairo bridge arbitrary, 45 per cent. goes to the charter line, and 55 per cent. to the non-charter line, whereas, if apportioned on a mileage basis, 77 per cent. would go to the charter line and 23 per cent. to the non-charter line.

When the haul is from Chicago to Jackson, Miss., after the bridge arbitrary is deduced, 34 per cent. is accredited to the charter line and 66 per cent. to the non-charter line, notwithstanding the fact that Cairo, where the two lines join, is exactly half way between the two points.

Referring to the traffic east and west of Dubuque, it is alleged that an ingenious plan was put into effect after the Illinois Central company had gained control of the bridge at Dubuque, the sole purpose of the scheme being to defraud the State in its just share of the earnings of the charter line, which terminates at the bridge site at Dubuque.

In addition to establishing a bridge arbitrary of 2 cents per 100 pounds or

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ACCUSES AMERICAN SHOW GIRL OF LIBELING HIM.

Prince of Thurn and Taxis, and his beautiful wife, who is supposed to be responsible for the suit he has entered against Josephine Moffit, the American chorus girl, who declared she was his wife.

PLEADS NOT GUILTY.

PRINCE DENIES HER CHARGES.

VICTOR OF THURN AND TAXIS SUES AMERICAN GIRL.

Declares He Never Was Married to Josephine Moffit, Formerly in the Chorus of Several Shubert Productions—"London Express" Also Charged With Libel.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Prince Victor of Thurn and Taxis has brought suit against Josephine Moffit, the former American show girl, and the Daily Express because of an interview published in which Josephine Moffit alleged that she was the Prince's wife, and that he married and left her in America, where she is afraid to return because of the Prince's many creditors.

The interview further set forth that she had come to England to give the Prince an opportunity of meeting her unmolested by money lenders. The case is to be heard on April 4.

The Josephine Moffit in question is a native of Jacksonville, Fla. Before she met Prince Victor she had been the wife of William A. Pike of Chicago. She has appeared as a chorus girl in several of the Shubert productions.

Just before she sailed on the Baltic, on March 19, for Liverpool, she told the reporters of her alleged marriage to the Prince, of his deserting her here, of her endeavors through the Austrian consulate and otherwise to get word from him or learn of his whereabouts, and, finally, of her resolve to go to Europe and search for him.

She arrived in Liverpool on March 27. In the meantime Prince Victor was interviewed in Paris and said that the story of his marriage to the young woman was absolutely false.

ASKS SHARE OF BIG ESTATE.

Kansan Says He's Half-Brother of Mrs. Charles L. Fair, Sues Mrs. Vanderbilt and Mrs. Oelrichs.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Frank P. Smith of Topeka, Kan., who claims he is a half-brother of the late Mrs. Charles L. Fair, has brought suit to recover from Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, Jr., and Mrs. Herman Oelrichs, a share of Mrs. Fair's estate.

Application has been made before Justice Fitzgerald in the Supreme Court for the appointment of a commission to take testimony of witnesses in France. No date has been set as yet for the trial of the suit here.

Smith claims a seventh of the estate, or about $1,000,000, and has retained as counsel, Chandler & Beekman. Smith declares that evidence exists which will establish his suit and which also may result in other suits being brought by heirs who accepted a settlement in favor of their claims. Daniel F. Cohalan has filed an answer on behalf of Mrs. Vanderbilt and Mrs. Oelrichs. He declined today to discuss the case.

Smith's claims as heir of Mrs. Fair is on the contention that she outlived her husband a very brief period following the accident.

DISCIPLES OF CHRIST MEET.

Tenth Annual National Congress Opens at Bloomington, Ill.—Welcomed by Adlai E. Stevenson.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BLOOMINGTON (Ill.) March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Men from many States, prominent in the religious, professional and business world, are here to attend the tenth annual congress of National Disciples of Christ.

President C. T. Howe of Butler College, Indianapolis, presided this morning and there was an address by H. L. Willett of the University of Chicago on the subject, "A Campaign Suggestion."

Speeches were made by J. M. Phillputt, St. Louis; G. B. Vanarsdale, Cedar Rapids, Iowa; President Thomas McCartney, Kentucky University; Prof. C. B. Coleman, Indianapolis, and W. F. Richardson, Kansas City, Mo.

ANNOUNCEMENT WAS PREMATURE.

EVANS IS DUE IN SAN DIEGO TODAY

PRIVATE CAR AWAITS REAR-ADMIRAL TO TAKE HIM NORTH.

Arrival of Yankton With Mail from Fleet at Magdalena Bay Gives Rise to False Rumor That "Fighting Bob" is on Board on Way to Hot Springs to Recuperate.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN DIEGO, March 31.—Definite information that Rear-Admiral Evans en route to the hot springs near San Luis Obispo, Cal., will arrive in San Diego late tomorrow afternoon on board his flagship, the Connecticut was received here by wireless today.

The admiral will be transferred, immediately upon the arrival of the big battleship, off Coronado Beach, to a launch and brought up the bay. A private car has been sent here and placed at his disposition. It is likely the car will be attached to the train leaving at midnight tomorrow.

The tender Yankton, the smallest vessel in the fleet, arrived this afternoon from Magdalena Bay with mail from the battleships. As the little yacht-like craft was making her way toward Point Loma, the rumor spread that Rear-Admiral Evans was on board and a report to that effect was sent throughout the country. The rumor continued in circulation even after the Yankton had passed quarantine.

Wireless permission had been secured for the tender to pass the station without stopping and this further convinced the officers in charge that Rear-Admiral Evans was on board and was being hurried to San Diego in time to catch the afternoon train to the north.

CROWD DISAPPOINTED.

A great crowd gathered along the water front. As soon as the Yankton cast anchor, however, Gherardi, in command, quickly dissipated the report. He added that the news of Rear-Admiral Evans's intention to come north in advance of the fleet was news to him, as the fact had not been announced at Magdalena Bay up to the time of the Yankton's departure last Saturday and Rear-Admiral Evans has steadily been improving in health.

The Connecticut left Magdalena Bay yesterday and a quick run should bring her into San Diego tomorrow afternoon, though it is possible she may not get in until after nightfall. The best time made recently by any naval vessel from Magdalena to this port was the forty-seven-hour run of the protected cruiser Albany.

The Yankton will return to Magdalena with mail probably on Thursday.

WASHINGTON NOTIFIED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, March 31. — The Navy Department today received a wireless message from Rear-Admiral Evans stating that the battleship Connecticut left Magdalena Bay yesterday and was due to arrive at San Diego tomorrow night.

Rear-Admiral Evans is going north, as previously announced, to receive treatment at the mineral hot springs near San Luis Obispo. The Connecticut will return to Magdalena Bay and later go north with the fleet.

DETERMINED.

THWARTS FAMILY.

Anna Gould Shows Her Hand.

Came to America Armed With Legal Decision About Her Money.

Doesn't Need Executors' Consent to Her Second Marriage.

Will Wed De Sagan and Fight for Her Inheritance If Need Be.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mme. Gould has not only broken with her family because of their opposition to her acceptance of Prince de Sagan's suit, but she defies it to penalize her under the terms of her father's will by cutting off half of her inheritance if she marries the titled cousin of her former husband.

Prince de Sagan announced tonight that he will sail for Paris on April 2 on La Provence, and that Mme. Gould and her children will take ship just as soon as she has recovered from the heavy cold and attack of bronchitis which brought her down Monday night in her apartment in the Hotel St. Regis.

In all probability the Prince and the former Countess de Castellane will be married in May or June.

HAD UPPER HAND.

It developed that Mme. Gould has had the upper hand all along in the war in her family over her evident intention to become the Princess de Sagan. At the time she divorced Boni de Castellane last October, she submitted her father's will to her own attorney, Edmund Kelly, and other eminent counsel, and asked them if the provision whereby Jay Gould made it necessary for his children to obtain the consent of his executors in choosing husbands or wives, under pain of forfeiting half their inheritance, would apply in the event of her marrying a second time.

Mme. Gould was advised that, while the will undoubtedly applied when she married Count Boni, it could have no force or effect in a second or subsequent union, and, further, that the courts would never sustain it.

Armed with this legal advice, which she kept to herself, Mme. Gould came to this country to try to make an amicable arrangement with her brother, George, and her sister, Helen, concerning the Prince. She understood that De Sagan would follow her and it was her plan, after she had made peace with her family, to have them receive the Prince. But neither George nor Helen nor the other executors of Jay Gould's will, Edwin and Howard Gould, would listen for a moment to Mme. Gould's appeals.

Miss Helen Gould would not receive De Sagan in her home, where Mme. Gould was living, so Mme. Gould met the Prince at the Hotel St. Regis.

PLAYED CARDS WELL.

The news of this meeting at the St. Regis led George Gould to make an appeal and a threat. He told Mme. Gould that, if she married the Prince, she would be sacrificing the interests of her three sons. The reduction of her inheritance from the estate would mean the reduction of theirs. Mme. Gould promised to take this under advisement.

She promised an answer on Sunday last. She confirmed what the lawyers in France had told her and the executor's helplessness to cut her off if she married without their consent and her answer was that she would do as she pleased and, if the executors attempted to meddle with her inheritance or her sons', they would have to fight every step they took in the courts.

Naturally, when Mme. Gould played this card, which she had concealed so successfully, the occasion was not pleasant and the upshot was that Mme. Gould moved bag and baggage from Miss Helen Gould's home to the Hotel St. Regis.

BREWERY STRIKE ENDED.

ST. LOUIS, March 31.—Representatives of twenty-four breweries in St. Louis and vicinity and of the Brewery Workers' Unions tonight signed new contracts, ending the strike of 3500 brewery workers which has been on for more than three weeks.

KING HAS TO SELL HORSES.

LISBON, March 31.—King Manuel today conferred with the Minister of Finance at length on the financial situation of the royal household. It was decided to sell a number of horses of the royal stable.

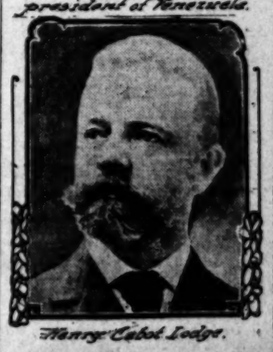
To Command the St. Louis.

WASHINGTON, March 31.—Commander Albert Gleaves, now on duty at the Newport torpedo station, has been selected to command the cruiser St. Louis, now at San Francisco.

Frau Maulvin von Arnim.

BERLIN, March 31.—Frau Maulvin von Arnim, only sister of Prince Bismarck, died here today, aged 81 years.

Gen. Cipriano Castro, president of Venezuela.



Henry Cabot Lodge.

Figures in the Crisis.

Our Minister to Venezuela, Mr. Russell, Senator Lodge, chairman of the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and President Castro of the South American Republic will take the lead in the next exchanges between the two governments over the points in controversy. Diplomacy, however, is believed to have exhausted about all its resources.

ENTHUSIASTIC.

DUCHESS SCORES HIT IN SPEECH.

PLAYGROUND MOVEMENT GETS IMPETUS.

Titled Daughter of Vanderbilts Urges American Women to Recognize Personal Obligations to Society as English Sisters Do and Notable Gathering Applauds.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The dinner given by the Playground Association of America to Mrs. Humphrey Ward at the Waldorf-Astoria tonight presages a great impetus to this movement.

The Duchess of Marlborough, who was also a guest of honor, aroused the 500 diners to enthusiasm in a speech delivered with an abundance of graceful gestures and deep feeling and her appeal to her American countrywomen to recognize their personal obligations to society as their English sisters do, was applauded by a notable gathering.

Society, the literary world, men and women of thought and affairs filled the grand ballroom, and the boxes and the lobby were crowded with others in evening dress whom the limitations of the banquet hall had prevented from sharing the feast itself.

The dinner was preceded by an informal reception to Mr. and Mrs. Ward, at which the daughter of the Vanderbilts met many old friends and was introduced to new admirers.

In her address the Duchess' repeated references to her Americanism attracted pleased attention and comment. She said in part:

"I should like to pay a tribute to the executive ability of the American woman. One cannot but admire the way they manage their various hospitals and charitable institutions. If American women can do so much and do it so well, why is it that a greater number do not interest themselves in philanthropic and educational work? I believe that it is, as I have said, because the sense of our personal obligation to the community has not yet been fully developed. The moment the women of this country recognize this claim, which to me seems so pressing, so needful, so appealing, I feel sure they will take it up with all their wonted energy and capacity."

CHINESE BOYCOTT JAPS.

HONGKONG, April 1.—The boycott against Japanese goods, instituted as a result of the Tatsu Maru incident, is spreading. Forty firms in Hongkong announce they will not sell Japanese goods. All along the West River the boycott is being organized and meetings are being convened to discuss the matter.

UP TO CONGRESS.

BIG STICK IS NEEDED

Diplomacy a Failure With Castro.

Venezuela's Mistreatment of Americans Becomes Unbearable.

President Sends All Papers and Correspondence to the Senate.

Congress Asked to Authorize Him to Take the Necessary Steps.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] President Castro and Venezuela are rapidly being forced into line for an effective application of the "big stick" and such other salutary measures as will insure proper protection for American citizens and property.

President Roosevelt today sent to the Senate all the correspondence bearing on the claims of Americans against Venezuela. His letter of transmittal contained no recommendation. The great mass of papers and documents were referred without reading to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

The Foreign Relations Committee will have a meeting tomorrow. Secretary Root will be present. He will appear on another matter, but full opportunity will be afforded for ascertaining his views as to the best and most expeditious means of bringing President Castro to reason.

There has been much informal discussion on this subject since Senator Lodge offered his resolution in response to which the various letters, reports and cablegrams were sent in by the President.

It is realized that all the resources of diplomacy have been exhausted. The President and Secretary of State can do nothing without the express authority of Congress.

THREE PROPOSITIONS.

It is suggested with an appearance of general approval that these three propositions be made the basis of immediate legislation, thus enabling the President to take prompt steps for a settlement of differences between the United States and Venezuela:

(1.) To impose a prohibitive tariff on Venezuelan coffee, the exports of which now comprise 45 per cent. of all the foreign trade of that republic, 90 per cent. being taken by the United States.

(2.) To exclude importations of asphalt from Lake Bermudez.

(3.) To authorize the President, under the general power vested in him to take whatever additional steps may be necessary in the future to satisfactorily deal with the question.

This would mean the sending of a commissioner, accompanied by a fleet of warships to discuss the subject with Venezuela if all other remedies fail.

It is known that the President, Secretary of State and all members of the Cabinet fully agree that nothing more can be done for the settlement of American claims against Venezuela without authorization from Congress. Every recourse of diplomacy has proven unavailing.

TRAVESTY OF JUSTICE.

The correspondence submitted today is voluminous and interesting. One report prepared for the Secretary of State, regarding the seizure of property belonging to the New York and Bermudez Asphalt Company, declares "that the procedure is a travesty of justice and indicates a misuse of executive and judicial authority. The property was tied up without a dollar coming from it.

"A correct solution of the problem would be on the basis of restitution of property followed by arbitration, preferably at The Hague. There should be damages for wrongful dispossession and an agreement that Venezuela shall not hereafter tax the company into insolvency.

An acute crisis between the governments of the United States and Venezuela has become a chronic condition. Probably no other nation on the face of the earth has been the cause of so much annoyance to the State Department as has the comparatively insignificant government at Caracas. Time and again President Castro has thwarted our diplomats and practically defied our power.

To the repeated demands made by the State Department for a settlement of the matters in dispute President Castro has reiterated his refusal of an arbitration of certain specific claims until the controversy reached a point where the Venezuelan-American correspondence was called for from the State Department by Senator Lodge, of the Committee on Foreign Affairs, who has acted in the matter presumably with a thorough understanding with the administration and as a concession to the clamoring claimants.

POINTS OF CONTROVERSY.

These are the specific demands which the State Department has pressed upon Venezuela, summarized from the long communication under date of February 25, 1907, sent by Secretary of State Root to Minister Russell at Caracas. The document which practically reopened the controversy, which had been in abeyance since March 16, 1906, when President Castro rejected the so-called ultimatum sent by Secretary of State Hay, and transmitted

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POLITICAL.

BOSSES KEEP THEIR SEATS.

Efforts to Unhorse McCarren and Parsons Fail.

Brooklyn Democratic Dictator Wins Easily.

Both Parties Hold Primaries in Greater New York.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The determined effort made today by Tammany Hall, Borough President Coler and other ardent anti-McCarrenites in Brooklyn to send Senator Patrick H. McCarren to the political morgue, did not meet with brilliant success.

The skyscraping statesmen from across the bridge came out of the primary battle for his scalp right side up with care and left for Albany at midnight in an optimistic frame of mind, saying he had won by increased majorities all along the line and the returns bear out the assertion. They show him victor in twenty-one of the twenty-three districts in which there were contests, and in the other two he has undoubtedly won.

"The opposition made a fight on me personally and the people have sustained me," said the Brooklyn boss, "that is about all I can say under the circumstances."

Eleven of the twenty-three Assembly districts in which the returns were practically complete showed a sweeping victory for McCarren.

The results in Queens were decisive for Joe Cassidy over Borough President Hermel.

Herbert Parsons defeated Odell for control of the Republican county machine. As soon as the results were definitely established he telephoned President Roosevelt and received the latter's congratulations in return. So far as is known Mr. Parsons failed to tel' none Gov. Hughes.

Odell's principal fight was made in the Fifteenth Assembly District, where Harry Mack is the Parsons leader. With the Fifteenth in his possession, Odell would have captured the State committeeman from the Fifteenth Congressional District. The contest there was bitter and was waged with a ruthlessness that threatened success. It was the one contest Parsons was worried about and the one district he was most anxious to hold.

The returns from the district showed a close contest and the final result showed how vigorously the contest was fought. Mack won by eighty-three votes, which, however, gives him a majority of forty-nine delegates over Odell in the assembly district convention.

The defeat of Lauterbach in the Twenty-ninth Assembly District by J. H. Hammond was particularly pleasing to Parsons.

Growing out of bitter rivalry between James Kane, McCarren leader, and James Dunn, Hearst leader, in the Third Assembly District in Brooklyn, John O'Brien, a Dunn partisan, was shot and perhaps mortally wounded when drinking with friends in a saloon in No. 424 Hicks street, at 6 o'clock this evening. Thomas Slattery, one of Kane's followers, is locked up in the Amity-street Police Station, accused of doing the shooting. O'Brien is in the Long Island College Hospital with a bullet hole in his left chest half an inch from the heart. The surgeons say he has slight chance of recovery. To his friends the wounded man is "Darby" O'Brien and policemen say he is known to them as a member of the Brooklyn "Monk Eastman gang."

OUTLINE PARTY PLATFORM.

Indiana Republicans Ready for State Convention, Which Promises to Be Most Enthusiastic.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

INDIANAPOLIS (Ind.) March 31.—Republican leaders met in conference tonight and decided definitely to recommend to the Resolutions Committee of the State Republican convention tomorrow the ideas for these planks for the party platform:

Local option, with the county as the unit.

No interference with present temperance laws.

Revision of the tariff along protective lines by a special session of Congress after the election.

Codification of laws governing corporations.

Child labor legislation within limits.

Indorsing the candidacy of Charles W. Fairbanks for President.

Opposing contributions by corporations to campaign funds.

Banking regulation that will insure confidence in the integrity of the banking system.

Progressive programme in labor legislation.

The gubernatorial contest between Representatives James E. Watson, Charles Miller, former Attorney-General; W. S. Taylor, also a former Attorney-General, and Lieut.-Gov. Hugh F. Miller is occupying a great amount of attention.

At 2 o'clock tomorrow, Representative Jesse Overstreet, as temporary chairman, will deliver the convention address, and will be followed by Senators Beveridge and Hemenway and Gov. Hanly. The nominations will be made Thursday.

The convention promises to be one of the largest and most enthusiastic ever held in the State. One candidate for Governor has ordered 10,000 American Beauty roses to be distributed among his friends and followers.

POPULISTS FAVOR BRYAN.

NEBRASKA DELEGATION IS OFF.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

OMAHA, March 31.—The Nebraska delegation to the Populist National Convention at St. Louis left in a special car on the Wabash this afternoon. Chairman Manuel and Mr. Tibbles, candidate for Vice-President four years ago, believe that William J. Bryan will be again the head of the Populist ticket.

PULITZER ABANDONS FIGHT.

After Firing Broadside After Broadside at Bryan, New York "World" Ceases Firing.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

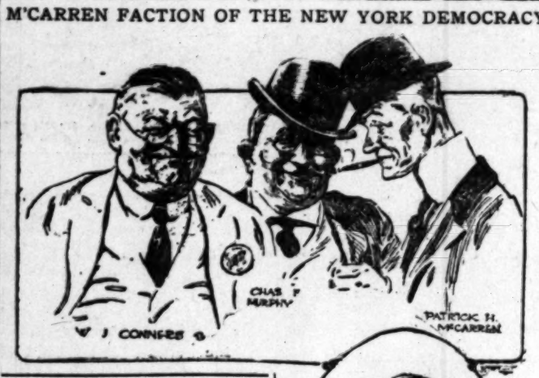
NEW YORK, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Bryan Democrats in the East are asking what Joseph Pulitzer of the New York World has against the Nebraskan. Four months ago the World began a systematic campaign to keep Bryan from getting another nomination. It published a map of the United States, two-thirds of it colored black, Republican, and only a small part of the southeast left Democratic. The World said Bryan was responsible for the map.

Next, the World published a series of editorials under the general title of "Sixteen to One," the purpose of which was to show that there were sixteen other candidates with a better right to the Democratic nomination than Bryan.

The next step in the onslaught was when the World printed all this matter in a pamphlet and mailed the pamphlet to every newspaper dealer in the United States and all the leading Democratic politicians.

When Pulitzer fired this last shot he went to Europe. Since Pulitzer left, the World has practically abandoned the anti-Bryan warfare. No more thirteen-inch guns have been fired, and the Bryan people in New York figure that either Pulitzer did not have any more guns to shoot, or else he had given up hope of preventing Bryan's nomination.

M'CARREN FACTION OF THE NEW YORK DEMOCRACY.



State Senator Pat McCarren and some of his associates, who are against William J. Bryan and almost everyone else but themselves. A bitter fight was made on the leadership of McCarren in Kings County in yesterday's Democratic primaries.

MATHIS ELECTED.

MAYOR OF DES MOINES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

DES MOINES (Iowa) March 31.—Complete returns from yesterday's municipal elections, the first held under the new commission plan of government, indicate the election of former Police Judge A. J. Mathis for Mayor, and of John MacVicar, Wesley Ash, John L. Hammer and Charles Schramm for Councilmen. MacVicar is secretary of the American League of Municipalities. Ash is a coal miner.

CANNON WINS TWO DISTRICTS.

TAFT MEN IN EVIDENCE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

MONMOUTH (Ill.) March 31.—The Republican convention of the Fourteenth District today named Frank G. Allen and Judge D. E. Mack as delegates to the national convention, instructed for Cannon. A motion to substitute Taft's name for Canon was tabled by a vote of 105 to 17.

After a bitter fight a motion to make Taft second choice was tabled, 63 to 9.

TWO MORE FOR CANNON.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHICAGO, March 31.—The Seventh Congress District Republican Convention in Chicago today named Daniel A. Campbell and A. A. Strom delegates to the national convention and instructed for Cannon.

POLITICAL BRIEFS.

Cedar Rapids, Ia., Elects Mayor.

CEDAR RAPIDS (Iowa) March 31.—In its first municipal election under the Des Moines commission plan of city government, Cedar Rapids yesterday elected John T. Carmody Mayor.

MAY AVERT SHUT-DOWN.

KANSAS CITY (Mo.) March 31.—That a shutdown of the coal mines of the Southwest may be avoided by an agreement between the Southwestern Interstate Coal Operators Association, and the Western Mine Workers was announced tonight, when James Elliott, president of the operators' association, stated that a meeting would be held with representatives of the miners.

The time of the meeting has not been announced, but it will probably be held before Mr. Elliott leaves Kansas City, which will not be for two days.

UP AND DOWN THE VALLEY.

PITH OF NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Today's weather was far from cheering, and the forecast of rain for tomorrow did not help, considering that this is the season of the year when people are led to expect sunshine and flowers. Today's maximum temperature was 48, and the minimum 38 degrees.

Middle West temperatures:

	Max.	Min.
Alpena	40	32
Bismarck	36	38
Cairo	76	52
Cheyenne	48	28
Cincinnati	58	42
Cleveland	46	40
Concordia	82	44
Davenport	56	40
Denver	64	28
Des Moines	50	40
Detroit	50	38
Devil's Lake	24	6
Dodge City	82	46
Dubuque	52	28
Duluth	32	32
Escanba	34	32
Grand Rapids	46	40
Green Bay	38	34
Helena	20	6
Huron	46	26
Indianapolis	54	40
Kansas City	74	50
Marquette	30	30
Memphis	76	66
Milwaukee	46	36
Omaha	56	40
St. Louis	60	44
St. Paul	44	36
Sault Ste. Marie	36	34
Springfield, Ill.	76	42
Springfield, Mo.	78	44
Wichita	82	50

J. HAM LEWIS COMES OUT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, March 31. — [Exclusive Dispatch.] Col. J. Hamilton Lewis today made his bow as a full-fledged candidate for the Democratic nomination for Governor. Petitions were placed in circulation in Chicago, and in a few hours the colonel's friends had as many signatures as the new primary law requires. Col. Lewis, it is understood, will, within a few days, take up his gubernatorial campaign with a vim.

LOYAL TO THE SERVICE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] John M. Hubbard, assistant postmaster, who has been longer in the service in Chicago than any other man, is celebrating today. The day marks the thirty-seventh anniversary of his appointment as a clerk in the mailing division of the postoffice. Postmaster Campbell gave a dinner in honor of Mr. Hubbard at the Union League Club tonight.

ACTIVITY IN BRICKS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Increased activity in brick building operations, caused the reopening of ten brickyards today and the employment of 1200 brickmakers. The brick manufacturers have many orders ahead, they state, and predict that in a short time every yard in the county will resume operations.

A DIMINUTIVE BABY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CLAIRE (Iowa) March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Although ten days old, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice O'Herin of this town weighs only two and three-quarter pounds. The weight includes two yards of flannel in which the infant is wrapped. The baby is healthy and is perfectly formed. It is so small the clothes prepared for it cannot be used and doll's clothes were used by its mother.

DISCOVERED AT POOR FARM.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

VINTON (Iowa) March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The family of James McCarthy, who for twenty yeahs have been trying to find hib, discovered him today on the poor farm here. McCarthy was injured many years ago and drifted into the poor farm, losing all trace of his identity until recently. The McCarthys are wealthy residents of Illinois.

WOLF-HUNTING CONTEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

STERLING (Ill.) March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] In a wolf-hunting contest today in Gold township, Bureau county, three wolves, five coons and hundreds of crows were killed.

SUNDAY ROASTS CHICAGO.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

URBANA (Ill.) March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Rev. "Billy" Sunday warned the Republican party today that it must yank the "personal-liberty" plank out of its platform or face trouble. In an address to 2000 men today Sunday also roasted Chicago as "lawless" and "whisky soaked."

RAILROAD RECORD.

STATE LOSES IN RATE SUIT.

Federal Court Decides Favorably to Railroads.

Claims Jurisdiction in Missouri Legal Fight.

Enjoins State Officers, not the State Itself.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

KANSAS CITY, March 31.—Judge McPherson, in the Federal Court here today, decided that he has full jurisdiction over both the maximum freight and the 2-cent passenger fare cases in Missouri.

In other words, he holds in favor of the railroads and against the State on the question of jurisdiction.

The last year the Legislature passed the 2-cent law, and a minimum freight law, reducing existing freight rates about 25 per cent.

All of the main line railroads in Missouri joined in an application for an injunction last June from the Federal Court at Kansas City to prevent the State officials from enforcing the laws. Meantime a truce was arranged between the railroads and the Attorney-General, under which the roads were to put the 2-cent law into force.

The freight law was passed in 1905, and fixed rates on many commodities in carload lots on a cent a mile basis. The enforcement of that law was tied up by the Federal court, and a master took testimony to determine the fairness of the rate.

In 1907, with the case still pending, the Legislature passed a new law, with more reasonable schedules for live stock.

The railroads went into court with an amendment to their first bill, enjoining the enforcement of the old law. They asked the court to enjoin the new freight rate law because passenger rates are involved in the same class with freight earnings in making up the total receipts.

Atty.-Gen. Hadley fought the amendment, denying the right of the Federal Court to enjoin him or interfere with the enforcement of the criminal statue. The railroads agreed to give the 2-cent law a test for three months, and asked Judge McPherson to give them that much time to see how the law would affect their revenues. For seven months the railroads have sold tickets at 2 cents. Now comes the court with a decision holding that in enjoining the State officers he is not enjoining the State itself; that he has a perfect right to go into the question of whether the rates fixed by the statutes are remunerative.

Frank Hagerman, attorney for the railroads, said today, after the decision was rendered, that he did not know what the next steps of the railroads would be.

ILLINOIS WAKES UP.

(Continued from First Page.)

every character of freight carried over the bridge, the company is said to have divided territory along its line west of the river into blocks of fifty miles each, the greatest mileage obtaining in a block to apply to all shipments within that block. On top of all this, an arbitrary deduction of 30 per cent. is made from the earnings of all Chicago hauls, these arbitrary deductions grading down to 10 per cent. as the river is reached.

Under this extraordinary plan, in the event of a shipment from Chicago to Dubuque, a bridge arbitrary of 2 cents per 100 pounds would first be deducted from the earnings, after which 55 per cent. of the remainder would be allotted to the charter line and 45 per cent. to the non-chartered line in the haul, the Dubuque railroad yards starting from the bridge approach and being owned by the bridge company.

Even after this division, an arbitrary deduction of 30 per cent. of the charter line's portion of the earnings is then made before the State's apportionment is computed.

Between Chicago and Julien, Iowa, the earnings are divided 55 per cent. to the charter line and 45 per cent. to the non-charter line, whereas, it is maintained, the division should be 95 and 5 per cent. according to the mileage.

In other allegations, it is reported that the railroad company has accumulated a surplus in interest-earning securities which net an annual income aggregating approximately $3,000,000; that contracts have been entered into with express companies on which none of the road's income is being accounted for and never apportioned to the charter line anywhere near its just proportion of the earnings from express privileges.

In this connection it is interesting to note that, since the State's suit was instituted, the company has voluntarily jumped the apportionment for express business to the charter line from $1600 a month, which it had averaged for many years past, to $67,000 a month.

LOW RATE FOR CONVENTION.

Chicago and Northwestern Announce Excursion Fare to Chicago for Republican Conclave.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Vice-President R. H. McCullough announced today that the Chicago and Northwestern Railway will make a low-rate excursion to the Republican National Convention in Chicago in June.

This is the first road to announce an excursion rate for the Chicago convention and the first low rate given by the Northwestern since the 2-cent-a-mile plan was adopted in Illinois, Wisconsin and other Western States.

It is expected by those interested in the arrangements in the Republican convention that all the roads entering Chicago will advertise low-rate excursions within a short time.

MANY THOUSANDS DISCHARGED.

Railroads Have Problem to Bring Working Forces up to Normal After Dropping 104,766.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Statistics prepared for the General Managers' Association today show that approximately 345,000 fewer employés are working for railroads in the United States now than were working October 1, 1907.

The statistics include actual figures of employés discharged by seventeen roads having mileage of 71,872, and show that these roads, since last June, have discharged a total of 104,766 employés. On June 30 last these roads had 581,713 employés, and last pay day they had 476,947. This is a decrease of 18 per cent.

In October last the roads had 40,000 more employés than in June. The percentage of decrease runs between 15 and 25.

The problem now up to the railroads is how, within two months, to bring their working forces up to the normal. With the cities full of "unemployed" this would seem an easy task, but many of the "unemployed" refuse to perform any manual labor and a majority of them are incompetent for any work.

DOMINION MAY BUY ROADS.

NOVA SCOTIA MAKES REQUEST.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

HALIFAX, March 31.—A resolution calling on the Dominion government to acquire all the railroad lines in Nova Scotia and add them to the colonial system as branches, has been unanimously passed by the provincial Legislature. The resolution suggests that the purchase of the roads be on a basis of their original cost and present earning capacity.

CUT RATES TO ORIENT.

STEAMER LINES AT WAR.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SEATTLE (Wash.) March 31.—Despite the solemn assertions of steamship officials of this city that no rate war to the Orient was in prospect, the meeting of the Trans-Pacific Freight Bureau, held last week, decided upon a schedule of cut rates to the Orient on wheat and flour and these rates will become effective tomorrow.

Every effort to keep the matter quiet has been made by the companies interested. The companies represented at the gathering were the Great Northern, Nippon Yusen Kaisha, Waterhouse & Co., Boston Steamship Co. and Dodwell & Co. of the Blue Funnel line. The other steamship companies plying to the Orient from Vancouver and Portland are expected to follow suit in making cut rates and a war to the death is in prospect between the liners to the Far East and the tramp steamships of foreign register.

The new rates on flour and wheat per ton of 2000 pounds follow: Wheat to Japan and Hongkong, $2.50, formerly $3.50 and $4 respectively; flour to Japan $3, to Hongkong $3.50; wheat and flour to Shanghai, $4, a reduction of $1; wheat and flour to Amoy, $4.

Fixing Rates for Convention.

CHICAGO, March 31.—Several high traffic officials declared yesterday the Republican National Convention rates to Chicago is being considered in closed conference, but that no definite rates have been agreed upon. It was confidently predicted, however, that the passenger associations will issue a schedule of convention rates based upon the Denver convention rates of 1½ cents a mile.

WARM TALK.

GIVES THE LIE TO CONGRESSMAN.

PRESIDENT OF BOAT COMPANY INDIGNANT AT LILLEY.

Denies That Electric Concern Made Repeated Efforts to Influence Legislation, Gave Champagne Suppers, Made Gifts to Members or Employed Woman Lobbyist.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, March 31.—The investigation of the charges made by Representative Lilley against the methods pursued by the Electric Boat Company in securing legislation was resumed by the special commission of the House today. Isaac L. Rice, president of that company, pronounced as a malicious lie the statement of Representative Lilley that "the Electric Boat Company had made continued and repeated efforts to influence the action of the Navy Department."

Regarding the charge that the Electric Boat Company has suppressed competition, Mr. Rice said that is "so utterly absurd it sounds like ravings." He denounced the charge that the company has subsidized newspapers as the purest invention.

Mr. Rice denied that the compahy had made any contributions to the campaign fund of any members of Congress or had helped to defeat any member who did not favor submarine legislation.

Mr. Rice claimed he had been approached on four occasions by representatives of the Lake Company with propositions to buy out that company or to merge the two companies and form a new one, but that he declined all the propositions.

Mr. Rice testified that he was given to understand that these proposals were made contingent to the present investigation being stopped; that it could be stopped if the consolidation were effected.

"Did he say who could stop it?" asked Mr. Olmstead.

"He said through United States Senator Bulkeley of Connecticut," replied Mr. Rice.

Among the questions prepared by Mr. Lilley and propounded to Mr. Rice were a number relating to the alleged employment of a woman by the Electric Boat Company to influence members of Congress. Both Mr. Rice and Mr. Olmstead of the committee objected to this class of questions, which Mr. Rice denounced as "outrageous and a perfect lie."

Mr. Rice denied that large sums of money had been spent in Washington for champagne or entertainments of members of Congress or officials of the Navy Department, or that his company ever made a gift to any member of Congress or any naval official.

COAL MINERS GO OUT ON STRIKE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

INDIANAPOLIS (Ind.) March 31.—Two hundred and fifty thousand picks dropped from the hands of as many bituminous coal miners of the United States this afternoon, not to be used again until a wage settlement has been reached and a scale adopted between the members of the United Mine Workers of America and the coal operators of the various fields.

Tomorrow morning 250,000 men will be idle and thousands of coal mines of the country will be deserted.

The situation, however, does not indicate a prolonged strike. An open winter and industrial depression have left a large stock of coal on hand, and the differences between miners and operators are very slight.

It is particularly agreed that the present wage scale will be continued, but some politics in connection with the change in the national officers of the miners' organization, and local differences between operators and miners have resulted in temporary suspension from work until a new wage scale is agreed to either by districts or individually.

Until two years ago the bituminous coal mining wage of the country was based upon the agreement reached in the central competitive field consisting of Illinois, Ohio, Indiana and Western Pennsylvania and considered as a unit. This unit system was broken two years ago when President Mitchell signed a scale with Pittsburgh operators who agreed to pay the scale demanded after operators of the other three States had refused, and the miners won their fight in consequence. Operators signed the scale individually throughout the country.

Since that time the miners have tried to get back the unit rule, or interstate agreement, but operators of Western Pennsylvania, Ohio and Illinois, after negotiations lasting all the past winter, have refused to meet in interstate convention with the miners. As a last resort, President Mitchell called the miners in national convention and district settlements were authorized with the present wage scale as a minimum and, failing to agree by districts, miners were authorized to sign the present scale with operators individually.

Vice-President Lewis, who will succeed President Mitchell tomorrow, is endeavoring to revive the interstate unit rule. In the meantime district joint meetings are being held in the various States.

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CAPITOLA CONFERENCE.

GOOD REPORTS FROM Y. W. C. A.

Whittier Wins Honor by Its Universal Membership.

Other Southern Organizations Are Encouraging.

Work in Nevada and Arizona Is Being Extended.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CAPITOLA, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The regular programme of the Y.W.C.A. conference here gave way today to the session of the Territorial Committee which occupied the entire morning with the exception of the Bible-study hour.

The Territorial Committee was formed last year to take the place of the separate State and Territorial committees and is the head organization of the Pacific Coast district.

Once a year the members of the Territorial Committee and representatives of the national board meet with delegates from the 1000 members of the city and student associations to sum up the year's work and to plan for the future.

Never was there more rejoicing than at this, the ninth annual conference, when a little more than $2000 was raised to be used by the Territorial Committee. Mrs. Z. D. Mathews, president of the committee, was in charge of the meeting. On the platform with her were five others of the thirty members of the committee. The vice-president, Mrs. O. Shephard Barnum of Los Angeles, who is also president of the woman's parliament, which will convene this week in Ventura; Mrs. S. S. Salisbury of Los Angeles, financial treasurer; Mrs. G. A. Neth of Reno, Nev.; Mrs. Warner Olney of Oakland, Mrs. F. B. Swan of Pasadena, Miss Gertrude Davidson, student secretary; Miss Abby McElroy, general secretary, and Rose E. Smith, secretary in the office, occupied seats on the platform, and the representatives of the national board, Mrs. L. Wilbur Messer, and Miss Theresa Wilbur, leader of the conference, were present in the audience.

MORNING DEVOTIONS.

Mrs. Neth, who is a great spiritual leader in Nevada, led the morning devotions. She read the story from the fifth chapter of Luke of the fisherman who had toiled all night and caught nothing, and, in drawing the lesson, she said:

"Thrust out a little from the land. We are liable to hang to the shore and live in shallow waters. Launch out into the deep; then you will know something of the depth of God's love. Let down the net for a great draught. We are content with such little things when God has such great plans."

Her Bible interpretation was one of the most inspiring talks yet given.

Mrs. Mathews in her report explained the formation of the territorial committee which is affiliated with the national board. The committee was formed with the double purpose of lessening the number of committees and strengthening the weaker ones.

Mrs. Mathews emphasized the fact that work in Nevada and Arizona is practically new and the committee is fast enlarging its field of effort. The first Y.W.C.A. work in mining towns of the district was begun at Bisbee, Ariz., this year with Dr. Kathryn Meyer at its head. Carson City, Nev., is the latest of the new organizations and San Diego has become a thriving association through recent efforts.

WHITTIER'S LAURELS.

Individual reports of the college and city associations followed. One of the delegations to receive the greatest applause was Sherman Institute in the earnest report presented of practical personal work and the thanks of the girls were extended for the help given by southern colleges.

Whittier College has been holding out-door meetings and hopes for a bungalow home for prayer services before another year. Whittier carries off the laurels on that every girl in college belongs to the association.

The University of Southern California, Occidental and Pomona gave encouraging reports. The association of the Los Angeles State Normal School has maintained its record as a model for schools of a similar nature.

Time was all too short to do justice to the great work of the Los Angeles city association, with its more than 4000 members, to which it offers an unusually large number of classes. Through the employment agency over a thousand people have been given occupation in the past year.

The girls' collegiate school, the Riverside city association and Long Beach were the other southern organizations that reported.

Carson City, the "baby" society, reported thirty-five members. They had worked for five delegates to Capitola, and have eight here, bringing $20 with them for the territorial pledge.

GOOD WORK IN NORTH.

Normal schools, city associations, and the universities of the north report great work in their societies.

Mrs. P. G. Brown, honorary president of the San Francisco association, refused to be limited to the few minutes allotted her, and this white-haired woman aroused the audience to her own pitch of enthusiasm in her plea for the homeless working girls who have crowded San Francisco since the earthquake.

Miss Gertrude Davidson told of her visits to the sixteen student associations of the district, eight in the southern part of the State and eight in the North. Of the 4000 girls and women in the student centers of the State, Miss Davidson comes in contact with half of this number as members of the Young Woman's Christian Association. She spoke of the normal school as perhaps the most difficult field on account of the youthfulness of many of the girls, the brevity of the course of study and the crowded hours.

"At the same time," said she, "there is no field where there be more latent possibilities or influence, no need today is greater than for sane Christian teachers."

In speaking of the southern colleges, Miss Davidson called attention to the fact that Pomona still carries off the palm for Bible and mission study interest.

WORK IS ADVANCING.

"As a whole," said Miss Davidson, "I would say the student work of the territory is advancing in method and spirit." As a future policy she urged among other things that association leaders seek to understand more fully the view point of the uninterested that they seek to direct all college women toward courses of humanitarian interests, such as economics, sociology, comparative religion, etc., that the co-operation of the faculty in the Bible study work be gained as much as possible, and that the gulf between theoretical Bible study and Bible living in the conditions of today be bridged.

Miss Abbey McElroy spoke at some length of the possibilities for useful-ness which are opened to the Y.W.C.A. girls and showed that college women may have a part in the great city work. She urged each girl to feel her responsibility not only for her own association but for the work as a whole, as it aims toward the betterment of the world. "The Y.W.C.A., if rightly conducted," said she, "is one of the very strongest feeders for the church."

Miss Beatrice French of San José reported a budget of $1000 for missions, all of which had been raised in California. Nevada gives $600. There has been greater interest in mission work this year than ever before.

U.S.C. LEADS SOUTH.

Mrs. S. S. Salisbury took up the general financial matters giving, as the budget for the year $5020 including missions. When the opportunity was given for individual and association pledges, $2000 was subscribed in less than twenty minutes, the association from the University of Southern California giving more than any other southern delegation. Interest was maintained throughout the long conference session; nevertheless, the arrival of the dinner hour was very welcome.

The afternoon has been one of delightful recreation along the beach and heights and a large party visited Santa Cruz. Tonight Rev. Charles R. Brown of Oakland will begin a series of four lectures. The first of the platform meetings was conducted by Rev. William T. Patchell of San José, who gave an exposition of the parable of the sower which carried with it heart-searching truths.

The weather at Capitola is delightful and the girls are planning many excursions to beauty spots near by. A trip to the big trees is principal among these.

Thus far there has been practically no illness. However, a physician and nurse will remain at the hotel during the entire conference.

CARS OF SILK UNDER GUARD.

BIG SHIPMENT GOES EAST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

RENO, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The largest shipment of raw silk which has passed Sparks for years was contained in the four cars attached to passenger train No. 4 today bound for New York. The shipment contained forty thousand pounds of the raw material consigned by a Japanese firm to a large importing firm in New York.

On account of the costliness of the material a guard accompanied the cars. This is the only material which the railroad company has ever allowed to be attached to transcontinental limited passenger trains.

BIG SNOW IN MONTANA.

Farming and Stock Interests Rejoice at Heavy Fall for It Dispels Danger of Dry Season.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BUTTE (Mont.) March 31.—A Miner special from Lewiston says: A snowstorm swept over this part of the State last night and today the snow is piled up in great drifts everywhere.

The moisture means much for the farming and stock interests, and the danger of a dry season is now about past.

The heaviest snowstorm of the season swept Beaver Head county today, proving of incalculable benefit to the rangers.

DRAGGED FROM BLAZING HOME.

FAMILY HAS NARROW ESCAPE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN JOSE, March 31.—Mr. and Mrs. A. E. House and son, Edward, awoke early this morning in their home on Maple avenue near First street, to find the house ablaze.

The parents slept upstairs and but for the appearance of a newsboy and a neighbor they would have been burned to death. The mother was rescued through an upper window by means of a ladder, and the father was dragged out unconscious and seriously burned. He was taken at once to a hospital. The loss was $3000 with $1000 insurance.

GROWERS POOL CROPS.

RAISIN MEN ACCEPT OFFER.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

FRESNO, March 31.—Late this afternoon growers, representing over 5000 tons of raisins, agreed to pool their crops and to accept the proposition made by G. T. Turner of San Francisco, who claims that he represents a large packing firm.

Turner, through the press, agreed to purchase the entire holding on a sliding scale, the minimum price to be four cents a pound, if 75 per cent. of the tonnage was pooled.

A committee was appointed to secure additional tonnage so that Turner's offer can be accepted. It is estimated that he growers hold 10,000 tons of raisins.

CAPITOLA CONFERENCE.

FROST NIPS VEGETABLES.

Garden Crops Ruined by Cold in Sacramento River Island District.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A heavy frost which descended upon the Sacramento River island district last night practically destroyed the crops of early beans, potatoes, peas, cucumbers and early squash. The young vegetables were so chilled that they turned black and market men predict a bad season for the rich low-land district.

Reports from Yolo county are to the effect that 90 per cent. of the almond and apricot crops is blighted, but dispatches from other localities indicated little damage, particularly in the uplands.

The fruit prospects in all directions are encouraging for record crops, although in some localities almonds and apricots have suffered by the North winds.

Rain is badly needed in the Sacramento Valley and the farmers fear that if it does not come within a few days the grain crops will be very short.

GRAFT PROSECUTION.

DUNNE DENIES RABBI'S STORY.

Judge Files Affidavit Explaining Night Meeting.

Declares Ruef's Name Was not Even Mentioned.

Says He Knew Nothing of Immunity Contract.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—Superior Judge Frank H. Dunne, in an affidavit filed today with Judge Lawlor, for the first time gave his version of the "midnight meeting" with Heney, Burns, and the two Jewish rabbis, Drs. Jacob Nieto and Bernard Kaplan, when Judge Dunne, according to the affidavits of the two rabbis, promised that if Abraham Ruef pleaded guilty to the charge of extortion he would later permit Ruef to withdraw that plea upon request of the District Attorney.

In his affidavit, Judge Dunne specifically contradicts the averments of the two reverend gentlemen, denies that he promised that Ruef would be allowed to withdraw his plea of guilty and declares that Ruef's name was not even mentioned.

Judge Dunne goes into a detailed explanation of how he was induced to go to the chambers of his court at that hour of the night. He stated that Burns came to his home between 11 and 12 o'clock on the night of April 29, 1907, and stated that Heney desired to see him at his chambers in the Temple Scherith Israel upon a matter of importance.

Judge Dunne objected to going at that hour, saying he preferred to consider whatever Heney had to communicate the following morning in open court. Burns, however, stated that it was a matter of the utmost importance and that Heney was accompanied by Dr. Nieto, who was leaving the following morning for Europe.

MEETS THE RABBIS.

Judge Dunne stated that he again protested but finally for the convenience of Heney and Dr. Nieto consented to go. He went to the temple alone, and, arriving there, met Heney and Drs. Nieto and Kaplan. After apologizing for bringing him out at such an hour, Judge Dunne avers that Heney said:

"Judge, I have come here with these gentlemen at their request, to have you tell them what your practice is as to recommendations of the District Attorney on behalf of defendants in criminal cases pending in your court, and also whether you have confidence in Langdon and myself."

"I replied in either exactly or substantially the following language: 'I have confidence in you, and in the District Attorney, and while I have that confidence in the District Attorney whenever a recommendation or suggestion is made by him in a case pending in my department, it is my practice to entertain and be guided by it, provided, of course, it is in the interest and furtherance of justice.'

DENIES LANGDON.

"Thereupon Dr. Kaplan spoke up and said, 'But, Your Honor, suppose a man pleaded guilty and afterwards asked to change his plea?'

"I replied: 'You have heard what I have said, gentlemen, as to my practice. Of course, in all cases of such recommendations, and which I insist shall always be made in open court, whenever the District Attorney fails to convince me that he is well advised or that good and sufficient grounds exist for his motions, it must be remembered that the final determination must always rest with me.'"

Judge Dunne also avers in his affidavit that he had no knowledge of the much discussed "immunity tract" when Ruef pleaded guilty, and did not even know that the prosecution was negotiating with Ruef. Referring to the incident last January when Langdon called upon Judge Dunne with reference to the withdrawal of Ruef's plea of guilty, Judge Dunne avers:

"Langdon called upon me in my chambers and said, in effect, 'Ruef is outside and wants to make a motion to withdraw his plea of guilty in the extortion cases.'

"I promptly told Langdon with some emphasis that I would not consider such a motion at that or any other time."

Judge Lawlor announced that he would also make an affidavit and continue the matter of Ruef's motion to set aside his arraignment and plea in the United Railroads cases until Saturday morning.

NAPA OFFICIALS REINSTATED.

Charges Against Hospital Physician, Matron and Assistant Matron Are Withdrawn.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Dr. F. W. Hatch, general superintendent of State hospitals, received a message today from the Napa State Hospital, stating that Dr. G. W. Ogden, fifth assistant physician; Matron Mrs. Hattie McKay, and Assistant Matron Miss Belle Walter, who were recently discharged, will be reinstated.

The message was not official, but inquired about the salary of the officials during the time they have been out of the hospital service.

The charges have been withdrawn, and it is considered that the affair will be carried no further. The charges were sensational, but they were not supported.

RUEF SEEKS ANOTHER JUDGE.

FILES SOME MORE AFFIDAVITS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—Abraham Ruef, the many times indicted political boss, today, through his attorneys, Henry Ach and Frank J. Murphy, petitioned the District Court of Appeals for a writ of mandate compelling Superior Judge Frank H. Dunne to transfer the cases against him in that court to some other department of the Superior Court.

Ruef's counsel at the same time also made application to the Appellate Court for a writ of prohibition prohibiting Judge Dunne or Judge Maurice T. Dooling of San Benito county, who was called in by Dunne to preside at Ruef's trial after the former political boss had filed an affidavit of disqualification against him, from trying the cases against Ruef.

Ruef also filed an affidavit, which was read in court before Judge Dooling this morning, which seeks to disqualify the latter upon the ground that he believes the defendant guilty; that as a friend of Judge Dunne he adheres to the latter's malice toward Ruef, and that, as president of the Native Sons of the Golden West, he caused Ruef to be expelled from the order, thereby showing that he is prejudiced and biased against the defendant.

Heney stated that, in view of the "adroit manner in which the allegations against Judge Dooling were made," it was necessary that the court should reply to them in an affidavit.

A continuance was taken until tomorrow morning to give Judge Dooling an opportunity to make an affidavit in reply to that of Ruef. The court held, however, that belief in the defendant's guilt does not disqualify the judge from presiding at the trial.

Judge Dooling, in answer to a question by Ach, denied that he had ever attacked or arraigned Ruef in a speech before the order of the Native Sons of the Golden West, and stated that his relations with Ruef, up to about a year ago, were of the pleasantest nature.

"We ceased to meet about a year ago," said the court.

DUNNE TAKES VACATION.

GOES EAST FOR HOLIDAY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—Superior Judge Frank H. Dunne, who presided at the trial of former Mayor Eugene E. Schmitz, convicted of extortion, and before whom Abraham Ruef, the former political boss, pleaded guilty to the same charge, left tonight for the East on an extended vacation.

Judge Dunne has called in Judge Maurice T. Dooling, of San Benito county, to preside in his court during the coming trial of Ruef on the charge of bribing the former Board of Supervisors in connection with the granting of the Parkside trolley franchise.

Judge Dunne will stop a few days in New Orleans and then go to New York.

BRIDGE WRECK SAVES LIVES.

FREIGHT PRECEDES PASSENGER

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SEATTLE, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The collapse of a bridge on the Columbia and Puget Sound Railroad, owned by the Pacific Coast Company, while a train was passing over it paradoxically enough saved 200 lives.

Six cars of coal from the Franklin mines went into Cedar River, but not a soul was injured. Had the bridge not gone down with the coal train, it undoubtedly would have collapsed under the weight of a passenger train, with its heavier coaches which came along some ten minutes later from the opposite direction.

ARIZONA BANKERS ARRESTED.

Officials of First National at Bisbee Are Accused of Misapplication of Funds.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

BISBEE, March 31.—As a result of the closing of the First National Bank of this city W. J. Eddleman, president, and J. H. Nolan, cashier, have been arrested on charges of misapplication of the funds of the institution made by National Bank Examiner Marshall.

Eddleman was released on a bond of $7500 and Nolan on a bond of $5000.

Neither of the arrested men nor the bank examiner has made any statement regarding the cases. United States District Attorney Alexander has come from Phoenix on telegraphic instructions to handle the cases.

SLOPE BRIEFS.

Call for Bond Issue Election.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—Mayor Taylor yesterday signed the call for a special election to be held May 11, when the following bond issue proposition will be submitted to the electors: An auxiliary water system for fire protection; sewer system; lands and buildings for school purposes; hospitals; hall of justice and county jail; a garbage collection and disposal system.

GOMEZ RE-ELECTED.

Expelled Assemblyman from Manila District Sent Back, but May not Be Received.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

MANILA, March 31.—Señor Gomez has been reëlected to the Assembly from the First District of Manila to fill the seat vacated by his recent expulsion from the house. The official count of his election is not reported, but the unofficial election board figures give him 423 majority over Justo Lukban.

The campaign of Señor Gomez was unusually quiet but determined. The probable action of the Assembly has not been announced, but it is understood it will not receive the expelled member. The members express regret that Gomez presented himself for a candidate.

OBITUARY.

Judge Ward McAllister.

SAN RAFAEL, March 31.—Judge Ward McAllister, son of the former society leader of New York died at 9:30 o'clock this morning at a local sanitarium from the effects of an operation for appendicitis. For two years he had been a sufferer from paralysis and in his weakened condition ...e was unable to survive long after the operation which was performed last Saturday. He was born in Newport, R. I., in 1855, and received his education at Princeton University and the Albany and Harvard law schools. He was United States attorney in California from 1882 to 1884 and then received a Presidential appointment as district judge in Alaska. When he retired from the government service he was retained by the Pacific Mail Company. He was prominent in club and social circles. For the last three years Judge McAllister was cared for by his relatives. He was afforded the services of the best physicians and received every possible attention.

Col Elihu Rockwood.

NEW YORK, March 31.—Col. Elihu Rockwood, for forty years a well-known New York photographer, dropped dead yesterday in his studio of heart disease due to rheumatism resulting from exposure in the Civil War. Col. Rockwood has the distinction of having three times captured the famous Confederate guerrilla, Col. John Moseby.

Gov.-Gen. Smith and the Philippine commissioners have gone to Baguio for the hot season. The assembly has announced its recess from April 4 until April 27.

AT NEW YORK HOTELS.

NEW YORK, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At the Park Avenue, Dr. J. Koebig; Belmont, G. H. Harrigan; Hotel Astor, B. Lechtig; Grand Union, Mrs. S. N. Crosby, Pasadena; Manhattan, Miss Greer.

IN SAN FRANCISCO.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At the Hotel St. Francis, L. Lindsay and wife, B. H. Levinson, E. H. Fordick, M. C. Canfield, Mrs. George A. Scoville, Malone Joyce, Charles King.

At the Hotel Stewart, William Hardwick, F. T. Kennedy, A. W. Drumond, P. E. Daniels, I. S. Hurst, J. B. Holloway, J. A. Steward, C. L. Newcomb.

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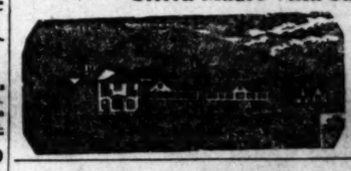

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CONGRESSMEN ARE REFUTED.

All Californians but Two Favored Big Aqueduct.

McLachlan Produces Letters Contradicting Denial.

Forester Pinchot Aids in Controverting Opposition.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Californians who so promptly denied yesterday that they had supported the Los Angeles plan to acquire the Owens River water supply were hoisted on their own petards today by Forester Pinchot, assisted by Representative McLachlan.

The Los Angeles Congressman produced letters from every California Congressman, except Smith and Kahn, approving the plan to convert Owens River Valley into a forest reserve in order that the Los Angeles water system might be installed.

Smith has been opposed to the project from the first, and Kahn was in Europe when the matter came up. The others all wrote that they had no objection to the project.

Forester Pinchot said today:

"I told Representative Smith last year that we would act in accordance with the wishes of the people of California as expressed through the delegation. The members were asked about the matter, and all of them except Mr. Kahn, who was in Europe, replied by letter stating that they had no objection to the project.

"I told Representative Smith about this, and he said there was a mistake, and that his colleagues would withdraw their approval of the plan. But I never heard from him again on the matter. Subsequently, Senator Flint and I conferred on the subject, and I was again assured that the delegation favored the plan. So we went ahead. That is the substance of the whole matter."

GOVERNMENT APPROVAL.

The utilization of the Owens River supply by Los Angeles is approved by the government as being in accordance with the law which seeks to confer the greatest good upon the greatest number in the use of water. Forester Pinchot explained that while Los Angeles may not use all the water for domestic purposes at first, it must devote the whole supply to beneficial uses or surrender it to others. Therefore the city may dispose of the surplus for power or irrigation purposes until such time as it is needed for domestic purposes. Los Angeles is building, however, for the future, and is trying to prevent the supply from falling into the hands of monopolists who would cinch the city.

The Owens Valley people have never developed the supply or given any evidence that they were trying to do so, according to Forester Pinchot. Speculators, however, have been eager to gobble the sources of supply in anticipation of Los Angeles needs. It was to thwart them and not to deprive settlers of water that the government cooperated with Los Angeles in securing the supply and the rights of way.

IS FINALLY PASSED.

After having undergone many changes the paragraph of the agricultural appropriation bill relating to the Bureau of Forestry was finally passed by the House today.

Messrs. Mondell of Wyoming and Smith of California continued their attacks on the bureau, and in this they were supported by Messrs. Bonynge of Colorado and Cushman of Washington. These embraced charges that the bureau had created timber monopolies in favor of large corporations, illegally assumed jurisdiction over water rights belonging to the western states, and juggled with figures in order to obtain large appropriations from Congress.

The work of the bureau was vigorously defended by Messrs. Hepburn of Iowa and Scott of Kansas.

HILL'S NAME BEFORE SENATE.

President Sends in Nomination of Ambassador Tower's Successor With Other Appointments.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, March 31.—President Roosevelt sent to the Senate today the nomination of Dr. David Jayne Hill to be American Ambassador at Berlin, Germany.

The resignation of Charlemagne Tower, now at the post, has been accepted to take effect June 1. At that time, Dr. Hill will assume his new duties.

This statement, made at the White House today, is said to be taken as a happy ending of the Hill incident.

The President also named Arthur M. Beaupre of Illinois to be Minister to the Netherlands and Luxemburg, and Spencer F. Eddy of Illinois to be Minister to the Argentine republic.

The President also sent to the Senate the nomination of Brig.-Gen. Charles B. Hall to be major-general; Col. John B. Kerr, Twelfth Infantry, to be brigadier-general.

CANNON IS FAVORABLE.

Speaker Believes the Senate Currency Measure Should Be Passed by the House.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The House is about to face the Aldrich Currency Bill, and the probabilities are that a large Republican majority finally will embrace the measure and speed it on its way to passage.

It may be that a caucus of Republicans will be necessary to bind the majority members to a promise to support the currency measure. Speaker Cannon is in favor of the passage of the Senate bill. No one knows definitely how thoroughly he believes in it as a means to the end for which it was intended, but in this matter, at least, the Speaker apparently is of the mind of the President, that it would be a mistake for the Republican party to go before the country in the next campaign without any currency legislation written into the law.

SENATE CONFIRMS VICTOR.

TO BE OKLAHOMA MARSHAL.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, March 31.—The Senate today confirmed the nomination of Grant Victor to be United States Marshal for the eastern district of Oklahoma, over whose nomination there has been considerable controversy because of Mr. Victor's support of Secretary Taft for the Presidency.

United States Senator Jeff Davis of Arkansas, who was severely beaten yesterday in a street fight with the deputy prosecuting attorney of Little Rock.

SOUTHERN STATESMANSHIP.

JEFF DAVIS IN A STREET FIGHT

SENATOR SMASHED IN FACE BY DEPUTY PROSECUTOR.

Goes to Office, Gets Big Revolver, Flourishes It in Public, Curses Loudly, Is Arrested, and Then Issues Statement Calling Row Attempt to Assassinate Him.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LITTLE ROCK (Ark.) March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Senator Jeff Davis and T. F. Helm, deputy prosecuting attorney of this district, were the principals in a sensational street fight this evening.

Senator Davis was walking to his office in the Reigler Building when he encountered Mr. Helm. Helm says that when he met Davis crossing the street the Senator made an insulting personal remark to him and he resented with a blow with his fist.

Helm says that he thinks that he only struck Davis twice with his fist. Davis went to his office and in a few minutes emerged with a big pistol which he flourished wildly in the air. He went to the corner by the People's Bank where he flourished the weapon, gesticulated, and with oaths was heard to declare that he would "like to get a shot at Helm."

Senator Davis's head and face was covered with blood, but he was able to return to his office after his wounds had been dressed by Dr. Runyan. Mr. Helm did not receive a blow.

Later the Senator was arrested, charged with carrying a revolver and with murderous assault.

The trouble was caused by Senator Davis denouncing Mr. Helm on every stump during the recent campaign.

Davis charged in the recent campaign that Helm received $1000 when Charles Hartley of New Albany, Ind., was robbed here last year of $6000.

Late this evening Senator Davis gave out the following statement:

"To my friends throughout Arkansas:

"There was a cold-blooded, cowardly effort to assassinate me today by the prosecuting attorney's office of this country. I was not seriously hurt, but it was no fault of Helm's as he used a loaded bat covered with leather, eight inches long with a large loaded end, and a strap over his wrist.

"It is stated in the street that Helm took from me my cane and hit me with it. This is an unmitigated lie. When I got back with my gun I saw him running towards his office with my cane in his hand.

"This is the bunch of boodlers and grafters in Little Rock that I have told you would commit murder, thievery, arson, assassination or any other crime to accomplish their point."

LOVE LETTERS OF A KING.

Obliged to Apologize to Dancer for Failure to Pay Money When Promised.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MADRID, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] El Libertad publishes certain communications which purport to be some of the love letters of Alfonso XII, the late King of Spain, to Elena Sanz, the dancer and singer, of whom the monarch was enamored and who bore him two sons. These two sons, Alfonso and Fernando, are suing the State, their half-brother, the king, and the Queen-Mother for an accounting of the late King's estate.

One of the letters, in part, follows:

"My sweet Elena: Only today I found myself able to send you the sum which I enclosed. Reason, at the end of the month I did not possess a copper, and in addition had a lot of debts to pay.

"But I am going to punish myself for neglecting to pay up in time. I fine the majesty of Spain 500 pesetas, which are hereby added to the amount I promised to give you.

"I am happy to hear that our dear little one is in good health and send you a thousand kisses.

"ALFONSO."

SZECHENYI TAKES ORDERS.

Countess Tells Him He Must Conduct Himself Like an American Husband, "Do You Hear?"

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

VIENNA, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Countess Szechenyi today made it plain to her husband that he would have to be an American husband. He had remarked, in reply to a question as to what he was doing:

"Being only just married—I must play the gallant, must I not? Yes, the gallant husband like an American," he added still laughing.

"And the gallant American you will have to remain," said the Countess decidedly. "Hear what I say? The gallant American; I won't have any other kind of husband. Ah, I wish we could have remained in America," she added.

"Impossible," cried the Count quickly. "What I mean to do is to be a true son of my Hungarian fatherland. To work in its service and for its glory."

"Well, for my part," retorted the Countess, "America will always remain my fatherland."

SIXTIETH CONGRESS.

RESTORATION IS DEFEATED.

Negro Soldiers' Bills Fail in Committee.

Five Democrats Vote With Republican Faction.

Foraker and Warner Measures Turned Down.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, March 31.—The five Democratic members of the Senate Committee on Military Affairs today succeeded in defeating both the Warner and Foraker bills for restoration to duty of negro soldiers of the Twenty-fifth Infantry who were discharged without honor because of the affray at Brownsville, Tex.

The success of the minority was accomplished by voting as a unit against the divided majority. The effect will be to cause both bills to be reported adversely.

A majority vote of the Senate would enact one of the bills, however, and Senator Warner is hopeful that his measure will yet become law.

The essential point of difference between the two bills is that the Warner measure provides that the President may reinstate any soldier upon becoming satisfied that he is innocent of the charge against him, while the Foraker bill compels the reinstatement of such soldiers if they take oath of their innocence.

When the committee met today Senator Warner moved to report his bill favorably, whereupon Senator Foraker moved to substitute his bill. The latter motion was defeated, the five Democrats—Messrs. Taliaferro, Foster, Overman, Frazier and McCreary—joining with Messrs. Warren, Lodge, Warner and Dupont in opposing it. A vote was taken on the Warner bill, and it was voted down, the five Democrats joining with Senators Scott, Foraker and Bulkeley in opposition.

TELLER DELIVERS TIRADE.

Colorado Senator Says Tendency of Government Is to Override the Powers of States.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, March 31.—The alleged tendency of the general government to override the powers of the States of the Union and to ignore the restrictions of the Constitution was the subject of remarks by Mr. Teller of Colorado in the Senate today.

He declared that there had grown up a practice of attempting to justify any act by the Federal authorities, whether there was authority for it or not, so long as it was ascribed to the public interest.

"We hear repeated assertion," said Mr. Teller, "that whatever ought to be done we should find a method of doing."

He referred to a speech by Secretary Root, calling attention to the fact that the States were not exercising powers conferred upon them by their State governments, and when they did not they must not complain of Congress assuming the right to do what they fail to do.

He also quoted the President as having recently said that there were certain evils "Congress ought to find a way to remedy." The President's power, he said, was fully defined by the Constitution, and no "interpellation" should be made to extend those powers. The fall of the confederation of States in the past, he said, had resulted from a failure to recognize the rights of each of the States. He commended the attitude of Justice Harlan in upholding State.

Mr. Teller spoke on the bill granting a right to a private company to construct a dam in the Snake River, Wash., declaring the right sought in that bill belonged to the State, and not to the Federal government.

Senator Teller criticised in sharp terms the administration of the forest reserve, contending it was largely conducted under regulations of the bureau which transcends the law and affords but poor opportunity to either the homesteader or the prospector to avail himself of the opportunities which Congress intended to afford to both classes.

The remainder of the day was devoted to discussion of the Benton Dam Bill on its merits. Senators Heyburn and Borah, both of Idaho, took opposing sides, Heyburn opposing and Borah favoring. Mr. Heyburn maintained he would maintain his position even if satisfied that by doing so he would imperil his seat in the Senate.

Ignatius J. Dunn,

Nebraska Democrat, who has been selected by the Nebraska delegation to the National Democratic Convention at Denver to nominate William J. Bryan for President of the United States. Mr. Dunn is one of the four delegates-at-large selected by the Nebraska convention. He is City Attorney for Omaha and has been identified with Democratic politics in his home State for twelve years. He is a strong supporter of Mr. Bryan, a brilliant orator and an attorney of high standing in Omaha. During the internal dissensions which have rent the Democratic party from time to time he has managed to strike a happy medium, and now represents a united party in Nebraska. Unassuming and of a quiet disposition, Dunn is nevertheless considered equal to the occasion for which he has been selected. He has a well rounded, clear voice, and will be able to make himself heard in all parts of the big auditorium.

TO PROTECT PUBLIC.

UNDER PURE FOOD LAW.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, March 31.—If the bill passed by the Senate today becomes a law, it will be unlawful for any advertiser to announce that his wares are "guaranteed by the government of the United States, under the pure food law."

The bill is intended to prevent the misleading statement that under the pure food law articles are guaranteed as to their purity.

WASHINGTON BRIEFS.

Homeopathic Drugs Included.

WASHINGTON, March 31.—The Senate today passed a bill including drugs of the homeopathic pharmacopaea on equal terms with those of the allopathic under the pure food law. Senator Heyburn explained that by an inadvertance many homeopathic drugs had been omitted from the pure food act.

Gunboat Eagle Leaves Hayti.

WASHINGTON, March 31.—The gunboat Eagle has been withdrawn from Haytien waters and assigned to survey duty. The Eagle left Port au Prince yesterday morning.

Refuses to Buy Exposition Grounds.

WASHINGTON, March 31.—The House Committee on Naval Affairs today voted to report adversely the bill to authorize the purchase of the Jamestown exposition grounds and buildings by the government to be used as a naval training and coaling station.

"OPEN DOOR."

RUSSIA FILES PROTEST AGAINST OUR CONSUL.

Disturbed by American Representative's Insistence Upon Maintaining Chinese Sovereignty in Manchuria. State Department Determined.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, March 31.—The Russian government is disturbed by the attitude assumed by Fred Fisher, the American Consul at Harbin, in the matter of recognizing the jurisdiction of Russia in Manchuria.

Mr. Fisher insists that Chinese sovereignty in Manchuria is supreme and furthermore he has supported the protests of China against the establishment by Russia of municipalities in the railroad zone at Harbin and Chailar, independent of the Chinese government, and his attitude in this Russo-Chinese difficulty has prompted Russia to seek an explanation of his course, both at the American Embassy here and in Washington.

Mr. Fisher is accredited to China and since his arrival in Harbin in January, 1907, he has consistently refused to recognize or admit that he should have anything to do with the Russian administration of the territory. He has been firm in his assumption that he was accredited solely to China and he has declined to act on suggestion conveyed to him by an official of the Russian railroad administration that he should secure the permission of Gen. Horvath, the Russian Governor of Harbin, before opening his consulate or raising the American flag over the building.

JAPS REJECT PROTEST.

Under the treaty of 1896, Russia claims exclusive control over the railroad zone in Manchuria, as well as the right to organize independent, self-governing municipalities. The Tao Tai of Harbin protested against this to the Russian Governor and to the consuls of the United States and Japan.

The Japanese, who are now cooperating in the friendliest manner with the Russians in Manchuria, rejected this protest, but Mr. Fisher supported it.

The foreign office here expressed the belief that it would be decidedly to the interest of the United States to recognize the Russian administration of Manchuria, inasmuch as foreign residents share in the privilege of this administration.

CAREFULLY LAID PLAN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, March 31.—It is admitted at the State Department that the status of the American consul at Harbin has been made the subject of representations at Washington by the Russian government but while negotiations are pending officials are loth to discuss it.

The important fact is developed, however, that the American consul, Mr. Fisher, is not acting on his own initiative in declining to seek the permission of Russia to exercise his consular functions. On the contrary, it is understood that he is simply executing a carefully considered plan of the State Department to bring about, through proper means, a recognition not only by Russia but by other nations interested in Manchuria of the integrity of Chinese possessions.

It was long ago perceived that to admit the right of political control of either Russia or Japan over the so-called "railroad zone," in Manchuria, including as they do the principal commercial depots and capable as they are of indefinite expansion of boundaries at the whim of lease-holders, would soon completely defeat John Hay's dream of "the open door" in Manchuria.

Therefore a quite definite policy has been adopted by the State Department the very foundation of which was the application of American consuls in that province for Chinese exequaturs. This was by no means pleasing to Japan, but it is believed that America is supported fully therein by the great commercial nations of Europe which have large trade interests in the Orient.

PENROSE CONVALESCING.

PHILADELPHIA, March 31.—Senator Penrose has passed the danger line in his illness and physicians consider that convalescence has begun.

FLASHES FROM WIRES.

The Parker Grain Company of Salinas, Kan., one of the strongest companies of the kind in Central Kansas, has gone into a receiver's hands. The assets are between $75,000 and $100,000, and it is said the liabilities are in excess of these figures.

Five hundred Cubans, who recently left Santiago on board the steamer Amanda for Brazil, where they were to be put to work on the construction of the new railroad running between Brazil and Bolivia, have mutinied in Para. They declare that they were badly treated and will not continue the trip.

There will be launched at Newcastle-on-tyne, Eng., Apriu 21, the first of the three big battleships building for Brazil. The new vessel will be called the Minas Geraes. She will cost approximately $9,000,000.

Owing to an uprising among the students in San Salvador, President Figuero has closed the National School of Dentistry, Medicine and Pharmacy.

Radiographing Oysters.

To obviate the enormous amount of time lost in the Ceylon pearl fisheries in opening oysters which are found to be without pearls a French professor of the University of Lyons some time ago hit upon the idea of using the X-rays to ascertain what was the nature of the contents of the precious molluscs, in order that only the most valuable ones would need to be opened. The idea was found to be impracticable on account of the time it took, but now an American has constructed an X-ray apparatus, provided with a rotary arrangement, which allows of more than 100 oysters being "radiographed" in 15 seconds, or about 24,000 an hour.

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LIFE'S SEAMY SIDE.

IS SLAIN FOR HEART BREAK.

Wife in Monrovia Shoots Woman to Death.

Town Thrilled by Tragedy in Postoffice

"Wrecked My Happiness," Says Slayer.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

MONROVIA, March 31.—With a calmness born of utter despair and heart break over the ruin of her home and marital happiness, Mrs. U. Z. DeArman deliberately shot to death this afternoon Mrs. Helen Griffin, the alleged alienator of her husband's affections. The shooting occurred in the postoffice five minutes before 5 o'clock.

Mrs. Helen Griffin,
slain by Mrs. De Arman in Monrovia yesterday.

Mrs. Griffin entered first and was almost immediately followed by Mrs. DeArman. They met at the rear of the narrow passage between the box partition and the wall of the building. Although many were on the street in front of the office, Dr. J. S. Buck was the only one besides the two women in the general delivery room and the only eyewitness.

WITNESS'S STATMENT.

"Neither spoke as they met," he said. "Mrs. DeArman, who was in riding habit, suddenly seized Mrs. Griffin by the arm and in an instant pulled a revolver and began firing. As she fired the last shot Mrs. Griffin fell to the floor and was dead when I reached her. The affair was all over in a moment. Throughout the brief struggle, while Mrs. Griffin, in her effort to escape, was dragging her assailant toward the door, not a word was spoken.

"At the fourth shot, Mrs. Griffin screamed once, but not loudly. She screamed again in the same manner just before the fatal shot. I reached Mrs. DeArman at the door and took from her the revolver, a five-chambered 32-caliber weapon. I fully believe she was emotionally insane. Her appearance of calmness and self-possession was deceptive and was probably a semi-hypnotic condition induced by constant brooding over her troubles, real or imaginary. I do not think she was accountable, in the usual sense of the words, for her actions."

Five shots were fired, three of which lodged in the walls. The fourth would have been fatal had it not been deflected by a heavy shell comb which Mrs. Griffin wore at the back of her head. The fifth bullet struck just below and slightly back of the left ear and, ranging upward, passed through the brain lodging beneath the skin in line with the right eye.

HYSTERIA FOLLOWS CALM.

When first taken into custody, Mrs. DeArman appeared perfectly cool and to feel neither fear of her predicament nor regret for her deed. Not the tremor of a muscle was discernible. Her face did not blanch nor her eye falter. She was the incarnation of self-reliance. Every expression, every movement of her body, every inflection of her voice indicated that she believed her act justified. There was neither fear nor repentance. Even when she requested an acquaintance to telephone her fifteen-year-old daughter, Annie, that she was under arrest, she still maintained her wonderful poise and self-control.

At the commitment before Justice J. B. Holloway, an hour later, however, the reaction came, and her collapse was pitiful in the extreme. Tonight she is utterly prostrated with hysteria and is under the care of a nurse and physician. Her condition is such that it was impossible to remove her to the County Jail tonight, and she is under guard at her home on Mayflower avenue.

WHAT SLAYER SAYS.

In her only statement, which she made to a Times representative, she said: "The woman has wrecked my happiness. She has followed us about from one race track to another for the past five years. I have never conversed with her, but I have, through force of circumstances, been compelled to speak to her casually on several occasions. I know little about her except that she has taken my husband from me. I have been given to understand that she was preparing to follow him when the season closed at Arcadia. I could endure no longer, but why, why in God's name was I ever born."

WOMAN OF MYSTERY.

The allegations regarding the intimacy between the Griffin woman and DeArman are substantiated by a man closely associated with DeArman and by the professional followers of the ponies. She is said to have come here with the horseman from San Francisco. Little is actually known of the woman. She was about 30 years of age, of prepossessing appearance, and always stylishly dressed. She attended the races every day, going to and fro in an auto rented from a local garage.

At her boarding place on Orange avenue, she once or twice referred to her parents said to be living in Indiana, but never to her husband or to the children she is said to have.

The DeArmans have four children, three girls, 15, 10 and 8 years of age, and a boy 13 years of age. Mrs. DeArman is a comely woman, 30 years old. She is quiet and undemonstrative in manner and has made many friends in the brief time she has resided in the city, since the Arcadia track opened. She married DeArman at Hamilton, Tex., when but 14 years old. Her father is said to be a well-to-do farmer now living in Virginia. The DeArman home is extremely pleasant and evidences refinement and culture.

DENIES ENTANGLEMENT.

U. Z. DeArman is a well-known horse owner. In appearance he is a self-contained, thin lipped, smooth-shaven man about 40 years old. He denies having any entanglement with the dead woman, but makes the reservation that there will be more than enough of opportunity for him to talk yet. The most urgent request of Mrs. DeArman, and she repeats it over and over in her ravings tonight, is that the belongings of Mrs. Griffin be carefully guarded as they will furnish ample proof that her action was justified both by what has been and by what was planned. She asserts utter ignorance of her husband's destination after the Arcadia track closes and the intimation is that she feared he had planned to desert her.

The inquest over Mrs. Griffin's remains will be conducted by Coroner Hartwell tomorrow at 10 o'clock in the undertaking parlors of Reynolds & Renaker. It is stated that DeArman late this evening made arrangements for the funeral.

U. Z. De Arman,
husband of the slayer of Mrs. Griffin.

Mrs. U. Z. De Arman,
slayer of Mrs. Griffin.

ARRESTED FOR GIRL'S DEATH.

DENTIST LOVER IS SUSPECTED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PORTLAND, March 31.—Dr. J. P. Whitney, a practicing dentist, formerly of Michigan, was arrested tonight in connection with the death yesterday of his sweetheart, Miss Mable Wirtz, who died of mercurial poisoning.

The body was about to be cremated when a deputy coroner stopped the ceremony because a certificate of death had not been filed. When the certificate finally was obtained and the cause of death made plain, Whitney was arrested.

Side Talks by the Office Boy

We have laws in this country to protect the birds and the trees, the squirrels and all animals except those that can be reached by an automobile, but why don't we have a law to protect the heiresses? Every titled guy who is able to borrow carfare seems to rush over here with nothing but his full dress suit and a blank marriage license to pick up an heiress and fall in love with her because he needs the money. Coming over on the steamer a man pointed out a dissipated looking fellow and told me that he was a Count, traveling "incog." I told him, if he was in California he'd probably be traveling in a cage. It must be an awful nuisance for a rich man to have to fire two or three Counts and Dukes and Earls and things off his front steps every time he comes home. I can't see why a young American, togged out, say, in one of our Ready and Right suits, wouldn't look better to any girl, rich or poor, than any of those fellows. Did you ever wear a Silverwood suit? You see they are different from ordinary Ready-to-wear clothing. The clothing men, at 6th and Broadway are awfully nice. They'd be real glad to show you the new goods, even if you are not ready to buy.

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ATTEMPTED ASSASSINATION.

TWO HELD ON SERIOUS CHARGES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PRESCOTT (Ariz.) March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Alberto Najera and Andy Sessmore were this afternoon bound over to await the action of the grand jury on the charge of attempting to assassinate José Contreras last night.

Sessmore, who is city poundmaster, called Contreras to the door of his residence and when he appeared Najera fired at him three times with a pistol, missing his intended victim, although but a few feet from him. A previous altercation led to the attempted assassination.

KILLS AND FLEES.

FUGITIVE CUTS WIRES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PRESCOTT (Ariz.) March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At Octave, last night, J. Sandoval was shot and instantly killed by Francisco Arrealanes, a Mexican, who later made his escape, cutting the telephone wires to head off possible apprehension. There is no clew to his whereabouts.

Sandoval was in the act of attacking his wife with an ax when Arrealanes interfered. Sandoval turned upon the latter with the ax and was shot dead.

GUERIN CAUGHT AGAIN.

AMERICAN CROOK IN LONDON.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LONDON, March 31.—Eddie Guerin, the notorious American crook who was at one time sent to Devil's Island for a bank robbery in France, has again fallen foul of the police. He was arrested today on suspicion of being connected with a recent bank robbery in the provinces. After examination he was remanded.

ROB POSTMASTER.

Two Masked Men Hold Him up at San Gabriel and Take His Cash.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

ALHAMBRA, March 31.—R. K. Johnson, postmaster and storekeeper at San Gabriel, was held up by two masked men tonight. They took $50 from him. One of the men is described as about 5 feet 10 inches in height, slender, wearing gray suit and with black mask. The other is described as about 5 feet 6 inches in height, of slight build and wearing a handkerchief over his face.

CRIME BRIEFS.

Hitchcock Case Witness Indicted.

NEW YORK, March 31.—Flora Whitson, one of the girls who testified in the recent case against Raymond Hitchcock, the comedian, was indicted by the grand jury today on the charge of perjury, alleged to have been committed in her testimony in the Hitchcock case.

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Police Think Lad Guilty of Garage Robberies.

Thousands of Dollars' Worth of Stuff Found.

Charged with having stolen from automobiles parts valued at several thousand dollars, and with having perpetrated burglaries during a period of more than a year, Earl Stein, 16 years old, of No. 1509 South Main street, was arrested yesterday.

With him was Augustus Gibbs, 15 years old, who was arrested on a charge of having stolen a bicycle from Detective James Campbell of the District Attorney's office.

Young Stein's capture is regarded as one of the most important of the year, for the police had failed completely in their efforts to stop the robberies from garages.

It appeared that the thefts were committed by experts, because, in every instance, small but very valuable parts of motors were taken. The machinists employed at the various garages were closely watched, but no proof that any of them was guilty was obtainable.

Several days ago, the managers of the Auto Exhibit Company of Nos. 120-6 East Ninth street reported the theft of valuable machinery, including platinum points and a piece of brass worth $90. A young man employed at the place was suspected. A detective, in a talk with him, learned that two boys had been in the garage a short time before the robbery was discovered.

Suspicion rested upon Earl Stein. His mother refused to permit a detective to enter the house, and he secured a search warrant. In the boy's room, he says, were found parts of automobiles. Two heavy, brass-bound oaken chests contained hundreds of fine tools and more parts of motors. There were also two motorcycles, dismantled, so that indentification would be impossible; automobile tires, a handsome shotgun, a trunk filled with Turkish and Egyptian cigarettes, fine cigars, cigarette papers, boxes of tobacco and twenty pounds of chewing tobacco.

The young fellow's father denied all knowledge of the property. He is a machinist and said he was teaching Earl the trade. He seemed much surprised when he viewed the stuff in his son's room.

Earl is now at the Detention Home, awaiting trial. He refused to make any statement.

The bicycle belonging to Detective Campbell was stolen last Saturday night. Augustus Gibbs is alleged to have been present at the time that Stein took the wheel and to have seen him take it to pieces in an alley near Ninth street. Part of it was hidden in a sand pile and the rest taken to Earl's room.

OFFICERS SEEK ASSAILANT.

SAN BERNARDINO, March 31.—Several automobiles filled with officers left this city this afternoon on a hurry call from Highland where they were summoned to take up the search for an unknown fiend, who had committed a criminal assault upon 15-year-old Adel Gremmel, daughter of a German family. The child was herding cows in the wash below Highland, riding astride a horse, when the man dragged her from the horse, and committed the assault. This is the second time within a few weeks that a similar crime has been committed, the officers having been unable to apprehend the accused.

CHARGED WITH ROBBERY.

Detectives Talamantes and Rico filed charges yesterday against Francisco Romo, charging him with robbery. Romo is alleged to have entered a tent occupied by Charles Bonham, Monday night, beating Bonham on the head and taking his watch and money. The accused man was arrested by Talamantes a short time later.

ACCUSED OF MISCONDUCT.

President of Queens Borough, New York, Also Charged With Incompetency.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ALBANY (N. Y.) March 31.—Charges against President J. Bergmel, of the Borough of Queens, Greater New York, were filed with Governor Hughes yesterday by William S. Pettit, of Far Rockaway, representing, as counsel, Christian F. Zimmer and other taxpayers of Queens Borough.

The charges which are filed in Zimmer's name, allege "misconduct in office, incompetency, neglect, waste and violation of law in the administration of his office during the years 1906, 1907 and a portion of 1908."

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They're brand new styles in both single and double-breasted cuts; both plain and fancy mixtures; suits that we've featured at this sale at two prices—$10 and $12.50—and they were worth ordinarily $20 to $25. Your choice today, $8.75. Second floor.

Men's Pants $4.00 to $7.00 Values **$2.50**
These are from the Rhyolite bankrupt stock. Splendid values, every one of them, at the regular price. Sale price $2.50.

Men's $3.00 Hats From the Rhyolite Stock **$1.50**
The balance of the bankrupt stock of hats; $3 lines to be closed out Wednesday at $1.50. Second floor.

Men's $1 Underwear **50c**
Medium weight, ecru color; ribbed; all sizes. Main floor. Aisle 7.

Men's 50c Work Shirts **25c**
Double stitched, dark colors; none delivered; some soiled. Main floor. Aisle 8.

Men's 12 1-2c Handkerchiefs **6¼c**
Good size, soft finish; aisle 8.

Men's 25c Ties **15c**
Four-in-hands and Tecks; all silk; no phone orders.

Men's 50c and 75c Shirts **39c**
Golf style; attached or detached cuffs; no phone orders.

Men's 75c and $1 Golf Shirts **50c**
Bankrupt stock from Rhyolite; all sizes; no phone or mail orders; aisle 8.

Boys' $6.50 Suits, With Two Pairs of Pants
Suits that are made of all wool materials, dark and light mixtures in tweeds and velours; sizes 8 to 12 years. Two pairs of pants, mind you. Why, you can't duplicate this value under $6.50. For the Combination sale, second floor, $3.98. **$3.98**

Big Basement Bargains

CHRISTY KNIVES, THE 10c ONES, 5c—200 only of the Christy cake and bread knives; 10c quality, while they last, basement, 5c.

$2.75 WRINGER $1.98
The American Wringer Co.'s household wringer. Regular price $2.75. Wednesday, basement, $1.98.

HOLD FAST CLOTHES PINS, DOZ..... 5c

CUT GLASS WATER BOTTLE..... $2.69
In this lot values up to $4.50.

ASBESTOS STOVE MATS REGULAR 4c SIZE, EACH.... 2c

GAS LIGHT—THE LINDSAY INVERTED..... 98c
All complete, ready to burn.

COVERED DISHES 65c AND 75c ONES..... 48c
White porcelain; odd dishes, worth 65c and 75c, 48c.

2 Lbs. Local Creamery Butter..... 51c

10-POUND SACK CORN MEAL..... 30c

ONE QUART GREEN OLIVES..... 15c

ONE QT. SPANISH QUEEN OLIVES..... 50c

FOUR PACKAGES SEEDED RAISINS..... 25c

LARGE JAR IMPORTED FIGS..... 15c

Clarette Soap, From 3 to 10, Ten Bars 25c
Limit, 10 bars to a customer.

LB. FANCY BLACK DRIED FIGS..... 5c

THREE LBS. DRIED APPLES..... 25c

FOUR LBS. FARD DATES..... 25c

DOZ. ORANGES LARGE SIZES..... 16c

DOZEN FANCY LEMONS..... 8c

Fancy Strap Slippers For Misses and Children $1.35 to $1.75 Values **$1.00**
New, light, dressy styles, in both kid and patent vamp; one, two and three strap effects; $1.25 to $1.75 values. Aisle 7, pair $1.

MISSES' $1.75 BUTTON SHOES..... $1.19
White top button shoes; all sizes for misses and children, 8½ to 11 and 11½ to 2; pair, $1.19.

WOMEN'S NEW OXFORDS, VALUES TO $5.00..... $2.48
New spring styles, either golden brown or light tan oxfords, made of dressy patent leather and kid; newest and most dependable styles. Aisle 8, $2.48 a pair.

Wednesday Notion Day

25c HOSE SUPPORTERS PAD, PIN-ON, HOOK-ON..... 19c

5c INDIA TAPE ASSORTED SIZES..... 3c

25c SLEEVE PROTECTORS..... 10c

300-YARD SPOOL BASTING COTTON..... 3c

$1.75 Napkins 22 Inches, Doz..... $1.39
Good, heavy weight white damask; fast selvage; assorted floral patterns; worth $1.75 regularly; Wednesday, $1.39 dozen.

10c NOTTAHOOKS BLACK AND WHITE..... 5c

BARBOUR'S TWIST COTTON TWIST..... 3c

5c FINISHING BRAID 6-YARD BOLT..... 4c

DRESS SHIELDS SIZES 2, 3, 4 AND 5..... 10c

65c Damask 63 Inches Wide..... 49c
Fine mercerized table damask; handsome patterns; regular 65c quality; Wednesday 49c yard.

RED CROSS SALE

Drugs and Toilet Needs

25c PEROXIDE OF HYDROGEN..... 10c
5c CHAMOIS SQUARE AND OVAL..... 2c
25c CASTILE SOAP 1½-POUND BAR..... 12½c
5c TRANSPARENT GLYCERINE SOAP..... 3c
5c SOAPS 3 CAKES..... 10c
Consisting of oatmeal, elder flower, palm soap and many other odors.
40c SEMPRE GLOVINE..... 25c
RICKSECKER'S 50c COLD CREAM..... 25c
25c MISSION OLIVE CREAM..... 12½c
25c EUTHYMOL TOOTH PASTE..... 12½c
TOOTH BRUSHES 25c VALUES..... 12c
TOOTH BRUSHES 10c VALUES..... 5c
25c WHISK BROOMS 3ROWS STITCHING..... 12c
50c THEATRICAL COLD CREAM, ½-LB..... 33c
1-pound size 50c.
RICKSECKER'S 25c TALCUM POWDER..... 15c
R. & G. 75c PERFUME, OZ..... 59c
25c BROMO QUININE..... 15c
SYRUP WHITE PINE AND TAR..... 15c
50c SACHET POWDER SEVERAL ODORS..... 19c
BROADWAY 25c TABLETS "BREAK UP A COLD" KIND... 10c
10c SWANSDOWN POWDER..... 8c
50c HAIR OR CLOTHES BRUSHES..... 33c
Foxwood or rosewood backs.
35c COMBS, HALF FINE HALF COARSE..... 21c
50c HAND MIRROR FRENCH PLATE..... 59c
25c STANDING MIRROR CELLULOID BACK..... 16c

Precipitated Chalk, Flaxseed Meal, Whole Flaxseed, Soap Bark..... Any 2, 6c

2 Gr. Quinine Capsules, Soap Bark, Sulphur and Cream Tartar, Tincture Iron, Tincture Valerian, Tincture Benzoin, Tincture Asafoetida, Tincture Eucalyptus, Tincture Cedar, Tincture Sassafras, Spirits Ammonia, Spirits of Nitre, Essence of Wintergreen, Oil Peach Kernels..... Any 2 15c

Camphorated Oil, Castor Oil, Rose Water, Rose Water and Glycerine, Purified Benzine, Aqua Ammonia, Spirits Turpentine, Alcohol Pure, Fuller's Earth, Cream of Tartar, Sulphur, Powdered Alum, Precipitated Chalk, Bicarbonate of Soda..... Any 2 15c

LATEST SPORTING NEWS, LOCAL AND TELEGRAPHIC.

AS EXPECTED.

NELSON AND ATTELL DRAW.

Little Champ Pounds Dane Hard and Often.

Entitled to Much Credit for Staying the Limit.

Bat Evens up Contest With Blows That Count.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Abe Attell, featherweight champion of the world, and Battling Nelson fought a great fifteen-round draw in the Coliseum rink tonight. When Referee Eddie Smith raised the hands of both the lightweight and featherweight, after a contest that was noted for its bruising qualities and great rallies during a number of the rounds, and the cleverness exhibited by Attell, he gave the only decision that was possible.

There were two different styles of fighting and two classes represented. Attell was easily the more clever of the two from start to finish, but Nelson was the aggressor and his punches naturally enough, when his superior weight is considered, the more telling. As a boxing match, pure and simple, Attell led. Judged from the standpoint of a fight, Nelson had a lead in rounds that must be considered.

There was a wide difference of opinion tonight and that difference is bound to grow, as long as men look at matches from the various angles. But when those who saw the fight for themselves, cool down to a sober study of its various parts, they will reach the conclusion reached by Smith—and this is, that to have favored either fighter would have been to do the other an injustice. As it stands, it is to Attell that most of the honors come. To stay for fifteen rounds before the Dane; to withstand his onslaughts and his short-arm jolts that have tired and stopped other fighters, does credit even to a lightweight. But when if is considered Attell is a legitimate featherweight; that he fought practically all his regular weight tonight and that in many cases he gave Nelson as good as he sent, is to establish him not only more firmly as the featherweight champion, but to place him far above his class.

Abe proved tonight that he can take punishment and that tired by the aggressiveness of a heavier man, he can fling off this feeling and come back in a series of rushes that would easily put an end to a man of his own rank.

Attell may not have thought that he could score a knockout, but he was clearly willing to fight and to stand up and exchange punches. Nelson figured that his weight would wear down Attell and that he would finally land a knockout. That he failed is no fault of his own and as has been stated, only adds to the credit of his opponent.

The crowd that jammed the Coliseum to see the fight was a revelation. There were many who figured that Attell would hit and run. He didn't do anything of the kind. He stood to his guns, as he had promised that he would do, and gave Nelson a beating about the face that will make the Dane sore for many a day. It is true also that in the latter part of the fight Nelson punished Attell severely and had his face bleeding. Abe tired from the pace that was set, and at the very moment that it looked like he might be defeated, he would come back with a rush of speed that would stagger the Battler and send him quickly to cover. More force behind his punches would have made things exceedingly dangerous for the Chicagoan, but Nelson continued to bore in. Considering the rounds from the standpoint of effectiveness, so far as damaging punches were concerned, Nelson picked up a lead from the eighth on, but there were numberless jabs from Abe's left and swings with the right that would count where boxing is concerned.

FIGHT BY ROUNDS.

First round—Attell quickly jabbed a light left to the face and backed away and Nelson swung his left high on the head. Nelson waded in, but Attell peppered him with light lefts and rights to the face. Attell almost slipped to his knees from a misdirected swing. He was up in a twinkling and shot right and left to the Battler's face. They clinched and Nelson drove two rights to the jaw at close range and then sent a straight left to the face. Abe continued to shoot his left to the face and then hooked a hard left to the stomach. Abe covered up cleverly, smothering the Battler's blows and poked two lefts to the face, Nelson retaliating with a straight left as the bell clanged. Both men struck lightly at each other after the sound of the bell. Attell bled slightly from the mouth as he took his seat.

Second round—Nelson bored in, opening up with left and right for the jaw, but Attell gave a wonderful exhibition of sidestepping and smothering. He judged his distance and bombarded Nelson's face with left and right short-arm blows to the face. Nelson sent his left to the jaw, but Attell, standing back, almost smothered his man with lightning-like left and right jolts to the head. Attell forced Nelson to almost swing his head off and then swung his left and right to the face, Nelson retaliating with a left to the body as the round ended. Attell had the advantage, although he did not succeed in landing a particularly well-defined punch.

Third round—Nelson shot a straight left to the nose and they exchanged left hooks to the face. They went close, shoulder to shoulder, and Nelson broke it up by landing two hard lefts to the body and two rights to the face and jaw. Attell looked a little anxious at this unexpected turn of affairs. They mixed it at close range, Attell fairly smothering Nelson with right and left shoots to the jaw. Nelson appeared to be groggy, but fought back viciously. Nelson then held Attell with his left hand and tried to land his right to the face, but Abe fought him off, showering rights and lefts to the face and jaw. The round ended with Attell landing on Nelson's face at will. The crowd cheered Attell wildly for his exhibition.

Fourth round—Referee Smith ordered Nelson to break which he reluctantly did. Then Attell swung his right and three lefts to the jaw. Nelson then hooked two lefts and a right to the jaw and Attell covered up. Attell blocked Nelson's attempts cleverly and waded in with several lefts to the jaw. Attell swung two hard rights and a left to the jaw, but Nelson evened it up with a hard right to the body. They then exchanged left and right short-arm swings to the jaw and Nelson was given a hard left over the mouth as the gong rang. Nelson unintentionally struck Attell over the eye with his right after the bell rang and he was vigorously hissed. It was Attell's round.

NELSON VERY BLOODY.

Fifth round—Nelson came up dancing and waded right in, Attell backing up a bit. Attell received a straight left on the face and Nelson put left to the kidneys. Attell clinched and Nelson sent in two lefts to the jaw. He followed Attell about, landing right and left to the head. Attell fought back like a demon, sending in rights and lefts to the jaw incessantly, and Nelson's face soon looked like a raw steak. Blood began to pour from his nose, which Attell kept pegging at with merciless precision. Nelson forced the fighting, but Attell fairly blinded him with a continuous fusillade of lefts and rights to the face. The bell rang and Nelson went to his seat bleeding freely. It was Attell's round.

Sixth round—They closed in, fighting carefully. Attell showed equal cleverness at the mixing game and most of Nelson's efforts went for naught. Attell drove two rights and a left to the stomach and then swung a left to the face. "Are they coming fast enough?" cried Abe as he sought to pepper Nelson with left and right, but the bell ended the round. Attell had the advantage, although Nelson appeared to be much stronger.

Seventh round—They fought to close quarters, Nelson putting left to the body and outfighting Attell at this work. Nelson wrestled Attell to the ropes and the latter worked to close quarters, where Nelson planted a stiff left to the face. Attell broke away and again began his bombardment of right and left swings on the Battler's jaw and face as the bell rang. Nelson had the advantage early in the round, but Attell reversed this and went to his corner with the honors.

Eighth round—They continued to fight at close range, Attell complaining about Nelson butting. Attell jarred Nelson with three left hooks to the jaw and a moment later shot in two lefts and a hard left hook to the face and jaw. Nelson landed a straight right to the face. The bell ended with the men fighting furiously at close range. Attell had a lead.

Ninth round—After Attell had jarred Nelson with three terrific lefts to the jaw, the Battler almost sent his man through the ropes with a straight right to the stomach. Nelson kept relentlessly after his man and forced Attell to cover. Attell, after stalling, suddenly loosened up and showered right and left swings with great force to the Battler's jaw and face. The bell found Attell hammering away at Nelson's jaw and turning what for a moment seemed defeat into a drawn struggle for the round honors. It was a wonderful round from all standpoints.

Tenth round—After Attell had hooked a hard left to the jaw Nelson sent a straight left to the jaw and closed in and received three left hooks on his bleeding face. Attell shook Nelson up with a right hook to the jaw and quickly followed it with three stinging lefts to the face. Nelson, however, fought back hard all the time and inflicted some punishment as the round ended. It was practically an even round.

Eleventh round—Attell gave a marvelous exhibition of sidestepping and ducking, Nelson twice hitting the ropes with his gloves. Nelson drove his right to the stomach and Attell swung three rights to the jaw with much force. They exchanged fierce right and left swings to the jaw as the bell clanged, both men fighting every inch of the way. Attell had a shade.

NELSON SHINES.

Twelfth round—Nelson shot three lefts to the jaw and fought Attell against the ropes. Attell stalled and the crowd yelled "Nelson," "Nelson." Nelson forced Attell about and started the blood from his nose with three hard left swings. Nelson nearly floored Attell with a left to the jaw. The latter fought back gamely and landed several rights and lefts to the face. Attell again cut lose and landed three lefts and a right swing to the jaw. It was a vicious round, Nelson enjoying the honors.

Thirteenth round—Nelson started off with two lefts to the jaw, and forced his man around the ring. Attell broke ground, and finally they went to close quarters. Attell smothering Nelson's blows. Nelson drove a wicked right to the stomach and followed it with left and right swings to the face. Attell recovered, and landed several left and right swings on the Battler's jaw. Attell hooked his right to the jaw, and both men fought viciously at close range. Attell swung left and right to the jaw, but could not stop the Battler's onslaughts. Mixing it, Attell hooked a fierce right to the jaw, and they mixed it, exchanging punch for punch as the bell rang. Nelson had more force to his blows, and if anything had a lead.

Fourteenth round—Nelson rushed in, hooking a trio of rights to the face. Nelson whipped a fearful right to the stomach, and sent in two lefts to the nose that started the blood spouting from that member. Nelson clouted Attell with right to the body, and as they mix it at close range Nelson sent Attell back a foot with a powerful right to the jaw. He kept after his man relentlessly, and soon had Attell in distress. Nelson tried to land a knockout. They fought at an almost superhuman pace, and as the bell rang they almost fell through the ropes from the viciousness of their efforts. Nelson seemed to have a shade.

Fifteenth round—Nelson, his face bleeding and his eyes swollen, fought like a madman, but could not land a vital punch. The crowd was in a great uproar at the end of the round. It ended with the men fighting viciously at close range. The crowd yelled itself hoarse for one man or the other. Referee Smith promptly called the contest a draw.

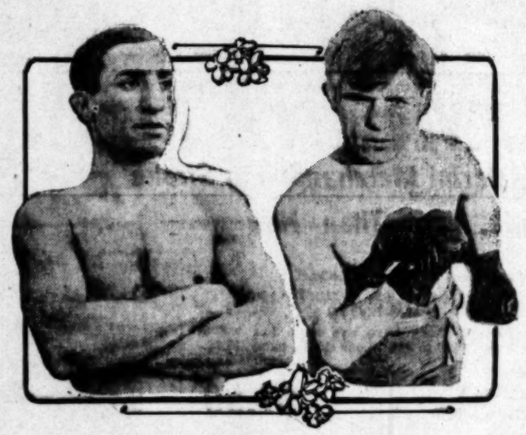
LAST WORK TODAY.

BROCK AND MEMSIC READY.

Two more days remain before the Brock-Memsic fight at the Pacific Athletic Club pavilion and if training counts for anything, the fans will probably be treated to something good in the way of a scrap. It goes without saying that each man will do his best to win, for victory means everything to the best one.

Memsic resumed his training yesterday at San Pedro, after taking a layoff of a day and he started out with eight miles on the road in the morning. In the afternoon he devoted an hour to hard work in the gym, boxing four rounds each with Kid Webster and Young Turk, punching the bag and working the pulleys. He will go through the same routine today and it will be his last day of training. He declares he is down to weight and will make 123 pounds and be good and strong.

Brock hit the road yesterday morning for a long run and in the afternoon followed with the usual gym stunts and wound up with six rounds boxing with Kid Dalton. After this he wrestled with Jim Llynn. As if this were not enough for one day, he went out on the water at Eastlake Park and rowed several miles in a boat. He weighed 130 pounds yesterday and will do no work after today.



Abe Attell and Bat Nelson, two crack pugs who fought a fifteen-round draw last night in San Francisco.

WALSH WINS EASILY.

REFEREE CALLS A DRAW.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BOSTON, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Jimmy Walsh had all the best of his twelve-round bout with Al Delmont here tonight, but Referee Sheehan passed him a lemon when he called the bout a draw. Delmont was far outclassed, and did not have a chance with Walsh. In the third round it lookde like a knock-out.

a terrific right smash to the jaw, flooring Delmont, and followed this up with fast fighting, which should have brought him victory. Again in the eighth round Walsh had Delmont groggy, rocking his head with left jabs and right hooks with lightning speed, and had him in a bad way.

Delmont was aggressive throughout and took his severe punishment gamely. The announcement of a draw decision was hissed, and nearly caused a riot. The unanimous opinion of the sports at the ringside is that Walsh clearly had the better of the bout from start to finish and was robbed of a well-earned victory.

GANS SWELLED UP.

WANTS A BIG GUARANTEE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PHILADELPHIA, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Joe Gans, the lightweight champion of the world will not fight Rudolph Unholz at Jim Jeffries' club in Los Angeles unless he receives a substantial guarantee. Gans arrived in Philadelphia today, in readiness for his six-round bout with Spike Robson tomorrow night, and Jack McGuigan showed him a telegram which he had just received from Jeffries offering to match Gans and Unholz. The colored man said:

"Any time Jeffries fought, after he reached the top of the ladder, he demanded and received a guarantee, and I want the same. I am champion of the world, and think I am entitled to get some certain sum if I fight any man. I am not particularly anxious to box again. You can say for me that I will never meet any one unless I get a good guarantee, and it must be a big one at that."

SATURDAY MEET.

PASADENA-POLYTECHNIC.

Pasadena High School and Polytechnic will compete in a dual track meet at U.S.C. Saturday afternoon. The teams showed by their performances in the County League meet that they are fairly well matched, although Pasadena made the better showing.

The Crown City boys were anxious to arrange a meet with Los Angeles High School, but as the blue-and-white athletes, in view of the proposed northern trip, did not see their way clear to accept the challenge, "Poly" was substituted.

In the big meet last Saturday, Pasadena secured three firsts and Polytechnic captured two. Pasadena made the better showing in the relay race. However, the local High School made the better showing in second and third places and for this reason believe that they can best Pasadena in a dual meet.

OCCIDENTAL LOSES.

NOT IN WINNING FORM.

The Southern California Business College ball team defeated Occidental yesterday afternoon on the Presbyterian diamond by the score of 5 to 3. The Presbyterians have not rounded into form yet and played a ragged game. The good fielding of the visitors and Spaulding's timely batting were the features of the game.

The business college team has won fourteen out of fifteen games this season, losing only to U.S.C. Next Saturday they will play St. Vincent's Academy at St. Vincent's.

The Occidental 'varsity will go to Oxnard tomorrow morning to meet the High School of that place. Games will also be played in Santa Barbara and Ventura.

Yesterday's line-up was as follows:

Business College.		Occidental.
Welsh	catcher	Woodside
Venable	pitcher	Patterson
Bock	first base	B. Merrill
Black	second base	McClung
		Johnson
Etchegaray	third base	McKenney
Briswalter	shortstop	Wieman
Spaulding	left field	Thomas
Wiggins	center field	Bird
Yaudell	right field	Baer

Score:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Business College ..	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	2	—5
Hits	1	0	1	1	1	1	0	2	2	—9
Occidental	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	—3
Hits	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	—4

Season's Record Good.

Occidental Academy has just closed the track season after winning three meets and losing none. The Presbyterians defeated Santa Paula High School last Saturday by the score of 67⅔ to 57⅓. A morning paper reported the meet as a tie, but the relay race, which was won by Occidental, was not counted in the reckoning.

SCORE IN FINAL.

"POLY" TAKES CLOSE GAME.

Beats Los Angeles High School at Baseball.

Scores Winning Run in Last of Ninth Inning.

Lafferty Shows Himself Star by Good Pitching.

Polytechnic 3, Los Angeles High School 2.

In the most closely contested interscholastic baseball game of the season, Polytechnic defeated Los Angeles High yesterday afternoon at Chutes Park. The game was a tie until the last of the ninth inning, when the Washington-street aggregation got busy and batted in the winning run.

Over a thousand students filled the grandstand and yelled like Dervishes whenever their favorites secured an advantage. Both schools had organized rooting clubs.

Beamer and Lafferty pitched excellent ball. The "Poly" twirler only allowed three hits and these were so scattered that only one figured in the scoring. The mechanics landed on Beamer for eight hits. The Los Angeles batsmen had bad luck in placing their hits, while the Polytechnic boys dropped theirs in safe places.

Both teams have several new players who are not strong with the stick and the teams do not appear as efficient as they were last year.

Kelsey and Malone did fair work behind the bat, although both were inclined to be slow in going after foul flys and watching the men on the bases.

Los Angeles High scored first. There was nothing doing in the first inning. In the second the first two men up for Los Angeles High were easy outs, but J. Howard got a base on balls, stole second, and came home on a passed ball.

In the fourth inning "Poly" landed on Beamer for two hits, which netted two runs and gave them the lead. Pratt was the first man up and rapped out a liner that went through Sefton and was good for two bases. Lafferty was passed to first, and Pratt stole third and scored on a passed ball. Strang knocked out a single to left and Lafferty crossed the plate. The next three men went out.

Los Angeles High made their second and last run in the sixth inning. Wilson struck out, and Cass followed with a pretty single over third base. Beamer dumped a bunt in front of the plate, and was safe on Malone's wild throw, but Beamer turned in the wrong direction and Strang tried to touch him with the ball. Beamer backed away, and as Strang was following him up, apparently forgetting about Cass, who was on second, the High School man sneaked home.

In the seventh inning, Lafferty pulled himself out of a bad hole by clever pitching. Jack Howard caught a hard liner in deep right that looked good for a hit.

When Los Angeles High opened the ninth inning the crowd got up and began to roar louder than ever. Halbriter and Kelsey were easy outs, but Winget got to first on Rickerhauser's wild throw after he had made a spectacular stop of a hard grounder. Winget tried to steal second, but Malone's pretty throw to "Monk" Pierce nailed him at the bag, and brought the session to a close.

Brown was the first man up for "Poly" and reached first on P. Howard's failure to handle his difficult grounder. T. Pierce came up for Harlow, who had struck out four times, and hit one to short, which Howard passed to Winget in time to get Brown. Price placed a single over third base and T. Pierce landed on third. The "Poly" section of the bleachers went wild. With only one man out, they saw victory in sight. M. Pierce sacrificed Price to second, but T. Pierce was held on third. Malone came to the bat. Two men were out and it was up to him to do or die. After taking two strikes, he planted the ball between short and second base, and T. Pierce crossed the plate with the winning run.

The Polytechnic students held a celebration on the field after the game.

The score:

POLYTECHNIC.

	A.	B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Harlow, rf	4		0	0	0	0	0
Price, cf	5		0	2	0	0	0
M. Pierce, ss	5		0	1	2	4	1
Malone, c	5		1	1	10	1	1
Pratt, lf	4		1	1	0	0	0
Lafferty, p	4		1	1	0	2	0
Strang, 1b	4		0	2	12	0	0
Rickerhauser, 2b	4		0	0	2	2	1
Brown, 2b	4		0	0	0	1	0
T. Pierce	1		0	0	0	0	0
Totals	40		3	8	27	15	2

LOS ANGELES HIGH.

	A.	B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Cass, cf	4		1	1	0	0	0
Beamer, p	4		0	0	1	2	0
Halbriter, 1b	4		0	1	8	0	0
Kelsey, c	4		0	0	10	0	0
Winget, 2b	4		0	1	1	2	1
J. Howard, rf	3		1	0	1	0	0
Sefton, lf	3		0	0	1	0	1
P. Howard, ss	3		0	0	2	2	0
Wilson, 2b	3		0	0	2	2	0
Totals	32		2	3	26	10	2

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Polytechnic	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	—3
Base hits	1	1	0	2	0	1	1	2	2	
Los Angeles High	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	—2
Base hits	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	—3

SUMMARY.

Two-base hit—M. Pierce.
Three-base hits—Winget.
Sacrifice hits—Kelsey, Price, M. Pierce, Brown.
Stolen bases—J. Howard, 2; Price, 2; M. Pierce, 1; Lafferty, 1; Brown, 1.
First base on balls—Off Beamer, 3; off Lafferty, 5.
Bases on balls—Off Beamer, 2; off Lafferty, 5.
Struck out—By Beamer, 10; by Lafferty, 5.
Passed balls—Kelsey, Malone.
Left on bases—Polytechnic, 8; Los Angeles High, 7.
Umpire—Toman.
Time of game—1h. 55m.

U.S.C. BASEBALL.

STUDENTS PLAY SATURDAY.

The crack baseball teams of the Law School and the dental department of U.S.C., will clash on the diamond at Occidental Park Saturday afternoon, and a close game is anticipated. The legal ball tossers have developed a strong aggregation composed of former high school and college stars, and in their recent exhibitions have displayed knowledge of the game to a surprising extent. The results of the inter-class contests leaves the class championship undecided. The Seniors defeated the Juniors 15-9; the Juniors in turn beat the freshmen 16-8, while the "babies" in their match with the Seniors won out by the score of 16-8.

The probable line-up of the Law School nine for the Saturday game is as follows: Folsom, catcher; McKnight, pitcher; Dickison, first base; Kerns, second base; Lacy, shortstop; Warring, third base; Hunsaker, left field; Watson, center field; Allen, right field. The fight for positions has been keen, and a number of candidates prominent for team positions will be tried out. McKnight with two years of 'varsity experience, has the pitcher's berth cinched, although Cooper and Brown are available as substitutes. Peck, former star of the Pasadena High School nine, is clever at short, and with Barrett, a Baraca player, will give Lacy a rub for the infield position. Arnold, a Stanford suostitute, and Charlie Wilson, a former Methodist player, are equally good in the garden, and will be given trials. Other subs are Browning at short, Sorensen at third, Goode and Davidson in the field. A game will later be played with the liberal arts nine.

SOUTHERN STATE BALL.

LEVY TEAM JOINS LEAGUE.

At a meeting of the Southern State Baseball League yesterday in Eagle Hall, the Christopher-Levy team was admitted to the league. This team will be reorganized by W. Frayer, and will begin activities next Sunday. It was decided that hereafter a charge would be made for admission at Arcadia, as under the old arrangement of contributions the game was a losing proposition.

The schedule for next Sunday is as follows: Christopher-Levys and Morans at Joy Park, 1 o'clock; Salt Lakes and Morans at Joy Park, 2:45 o'clock; Dyas-Clines and Santa Anita at Arcadia; Eagles and Lordsburg at Lordsburg. The season will close June 14.

NON-STOP RUN.

Reo Is Chugging on in Effort to Win World's Mark—Car Has Hard Task.

The Reo light touring car, which is making the effort to break the world non-stop motor record, had completed more than 300 miles at midnight. A. Nikrent, in charge of the car since the start early yesterday, will remain at the wheel until 6 o'clock this evening. There was no trouble with the motor, and the machine behaved splendidly. Nikrent stands a good chance to win in his effort to spin out the long grind.

On the car with Nikrent yesterday was Cari Bonney, who kept tab on the buzzing motor. The car was driven over the downtown streets for the greater part of the day, and was sent along Central avenue and West Pico street last night. Edwin Crail acted as observer through the night hours. The two men will relieve each other, and Dickenson will take Nikrent's place tonight.

SUNDAY CRICKET.

Los Angeles Club Members Will Begin Practice for the Season and Discuss New Grounds.

On Sunday next, the members of the Los Angeles Cricket Club will open the season with a practice game on their new grounds, at the junction of the Venice and Redondo lines. Wickets will be pitched at 2 o'clock. All those interested in cricket are cordially invited to attend. Secretary G. F. Gadsdon will be on hand to take the names of prospective members, and after stumps have been drawn, various items will be discussed in regard to the new ground, and the pavilion which is now under construction.

The new ground may be reached, either by a Pico Heights car to the end of the line, which takes one within five or six blocks, or by the Los Angeles Pacific to Pico Road.

Speedy Foot Race.

CARLISLE (Pa.) March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Indians from the Southwest were the winners in today's big cross-country run at the Carlisle Indian commencement, in a course of nearly three miles. A Hopi Indian from Arizona, Louis Tewanima, won in 14 minutes, 25 seconds. Jorn Corn, a Pueblo from New Mexico, and Peter Thomas, a Digger Indian from California, were second and third. Over forty Indian tribes were represented.

WRESTLING TOURNEY.

Entries for the Events on Saturday Night Will not Be Closed Until Thursday Evening.

The wrestling tournament will be held in Armory Hall Saturday night. Arrangements are being made to accommodate a thousand persons and a section of the grand stand will be reserved for ladies. The contestants will appear in full gymnasium suits.

Entries were to have closed last Saturday, but in order to secure the best talent the list will not be closed until tomorrow night. The entries of the San Pedro Athletic Club, which were expected to be the first among those received, have not put in an appearance as yet. Charlie Eyton will referee the bouts, and Les Henry will do the scoring.

New World's Record.

MONTREAL, March 30.—A world's record was broken at the Montreal Amateur Athletic Association indoor races last night, when F. L. Lukeman of the M.A.A.A. won the sixty-yard dash in 6 1-5s. The previous record was 6 2-5s.

A Trip to Hawaii—$125.

Ella Wheeler Wilcox has just returned from Honolulu and says that she is so pleased with "the islands" that she and her husband will return there and establish a summer home; that no place compares with it as a resort. Mrs. Wilcox is preparing a book with poems on these beautiful islands, to be published soon. The round trip by the fast S.S. ALAMEDA, sailing from San Francisco April 11, is only $125 first class. Parties of fifteen, $110 each. Five and a half days at sea each way. A splendid trip. Write or telegraph for berths by the ALAMEDA to Oceanic Line, 673 Market street, San Francisco; A. M. Culver, agent, 234 South Spring street.

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LAST CHANCE.

FINAL MEET ON SATURDAY.

POMONA AND BERKELEY ARE TO CLASH IN NORTH.

Cowles and Spurgeon Expected to Furnish Great Contest in the High Hurdles—Athletes of the South Do not Expect to Do Great Things in Field Events.

The last important track meet of the season in which southern college athletes will appear will be held next Saturday when Pomona College meets the University of California at Berkeley. The Claremonters have been training on the Berkeley track since their meet with Stanford last Friday and are in excellent shape, with the exception of Munger, who has a bad ankle. However, Merriam is well qualified to represent Pomona in the high jump, having cleared the bar at 6 feet 2 inches and being consistent at 6 feet.

Pomona scored twice as many points against Stanford as U.S.C. made in the North, and inasmuch as the Methodists gave Berkeley a hard fight last Saturday, Pomona students are counting on their team to give the northerners the fight of their lives. However, Berkeley will have a stronger team against Pomona than they sent South, as the freshmen team, which did not contribute athletes to the 'varsity that appeared in this city, will be drawn upon for the Pomona meet.

The race between Cowles of Berkeley and Spurgeon of Pomona in the high hurdles will be one of the features of the meet, as both men have covered the distance in 16 seconds or better. The odds are in favor of the northerner, as Spurgeon does not usually run this event in record time on a strange track. The 220-yard hurdle race is the event in which Spurgeon is at his best and he should have no difficulty in annexing first place.

The Pomonans are counting on Sloane to take points in the 100 and 440-yard dashes, although better than second place in either event would surprise his supporters. Himrod should be a sure winner in the mile, as he is the recognized Coast champion at this distance.

Jones and Leeke will run the two-mile race for Pomona, but neither is expected to take first place, although they look good for some points.

The relay race promises to be fiercely contested. Pomona has a great quartet of quarter-milers in Sloane, Rogers, McKee and Spurgeon, and as they have prepared especially for the northern competition, a new record may be established.

Outside of the high jump, the Pomonans probably will be outclassed in the field events, although Birdsall and Merriam may place in the pole vault, and Rogers may spread out in the broad jump. Metcalf is not expected to take first place in the hammer throw, and Davenport will have to exceed his past performances of the year in order to loom up in the shotput.

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AS EXPECTED.

NELSON AND ATTELL DRAW.

Little Champ Pounds Dane Hard and Often.

Entitled to Much Credit for Staying the Limit.

Bat Evens up Contest With Blows That Count.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Abe Attell, featherweight champion of the world, and Battling Nelson fought a great fifteen-round draw in the Coliseum rink tonight. When Referee Eddie Smith raised the hands of both the lightweight and featherweight, after a contest that was noted for its bruising qualities and great rallies during a number of the rounds, and the cleverness exhibited by Attell, he gave the only decision that was possible.

There were two different styles of fighting and two classes represented. Attell was easily the more clever of the two from start to finish, but Nelson was the aggressor and his punches naturally enough, when his superior weight is considered, the more telling. As a boxing match, pure and simple, Attell led. Judged from the standpoint of a fight, Nelson had a lead in rounds that must be considered.

There was a wide difference of opinion tonight and that difference is bound to grow, as long as men look at matches from the various angles. But when those who saw the fight for themselves, cool down to a sober study of its various parts, they will reach the conclusion reached by Smith—and this is, that to have favored either fighter would have been to do the other an injustice. As it stands, it is to Attell that most of the honors come. To stay for fifteen rounds before the Dane; to withstand his onslaughts and his short-arm jolts that have tired and stopped other fighters, does credit even to a lightweight. But when it is considered Attell is a legitimate featherweight; that he fought practically at his regular weight tonight and that in many cases he gave Nelson as good as he sent, is to establish him not only more firmly as the featherweight champion, but to place him far above his class.

Abe proved tonight that he can take punishment and that tired by the aggressiveness of a heavier man, he can fling off this feeling and come back in a series of rushes that would easily put an end to a man of his own rank.

Attell may not have thought that he could score a knockout, but he was clearly willing to fight and to stand up and exchange punches. Nelson figured that his weight would wear down Attell and that he would finally land a knockout. That he failed is no fault of his own and as has been stated, only adds to the credit of his opponent.

The crowd that jammed the Coliseum to see the fight was a revelation. There were many who figured that Attell would hit and run. He didn't do anything of the kind. He stood to his guns, as he had promised that he would do, and gave Nelson a beating about the face that will make the Dane sore for many a day. It is true also that in the latter part of the fight Nelson punished Attell severely and had his face bleeding. Abe tired from the pace that was set, and at the very moment that it looked like he might be defeated, he would come back with a rush of speed that would stagger the Battler and send him quickly to cover. More force behind his punches would have made things exceedingly dangerous for the Chicagoan, but Nelson continued to bore in. Considering the rounds from the standpoint of effectiveness, so far as damaging punches were concerned, Nelson picked up a lead from the eighth on, but there were numberless jabs from Abe's left and swings with the right that would count where boxing is concerned.

FIGHT BY ROUNDS.

First round—Attell quickly jabbed a light left to the face and backed away and Nelson swung his left high on the head. Nelson waded in, but Attell peppered him with light lefts and rights to the face. Attell almost slipped to his knees from a misdirected swing. He was up in a twinkling and shot right and left to the Battler's face. They clinched and Nelson drove two rights to the jaw at close range and then sent a straight left to the face. Abe continued to shoot his left to the face and then hooked a harg left to the stomach. Abe covered up cleverly, smothering the Battler's blows and poked two lefts to the face, Nelson retaliating with a straight left as the bell clanged. Both men struck lightly at each other after the sound of the bell. Attell bled slightly from the mouth as he took his seat.

Second round—Nelson bored in, opening up with left and right for the jaw, but Attell gave a wonderful exhibition of sidestepping and smothering. He judged his distance and bombarded Nelson's face with left and right short-arm blows to the face. Nelson sent his left to the jaw, but Attell, standing back, almost smothered his man with lightning-like left and right jolts to the head. Attell forced Nelson to almost swing his head off and then swung his left and right to the face, Nelson retaliating with a left to the body as the round ended. Attell had the advantage, although he did not succeed in landing a particularly well-defined punch.

Third round—Nelson shot a straight left to the nose and they exchanged left hooks to the face. They went close, shoulder to shoulder, and Nelson broke it up by landing two hard lefts to the body and two rights to the face and jaw. Attell looked a little anxious at this unexpected turn of affairs. They mixed it at close range, Attell fairly smothering Nelson with right and left shoots to the jaw. Nelson appeared to be groggy, but fought back viciously, Nelson then held Attell with his left hand and tried to land his right to the face, but Abe fought him off, showering rights and lefts to the face and jaw. The round ended with Attell landing on Nelson's face at will. The crowd cheered Attell wildly for his exhibition.

Fourth round—Referee Smith ordered Nelson to break which he reluctantly did. Then Attell swung his right and three lefts to the jaw. Nelson then hooked two lefts and a right to the jaw and Attell covered up. Attell blocked Nelson's attempts cleverly and waded in with several lefts to the jaw. Attell swung two hard rights and a left to the jaw, but Nelson evened it up with a hard right to the body. They then exchanged left and right short-arm swings to the jaw and Nelson was given a hard left over the mouth as the gong rang. Nelson unintentionally struck Attell over the eye with his right after the bell rang and he was vigorously hissed. It was Attell's round.

NELSON VERY BLOODY.

Fifth round—Nelson came up dancing and waded right in, Attell backing up a bit. Attell received a straight left on the face and Nelson put left to the kidneys. Attell clinched and Nelson sent in two lefts to the jaw. He followed Attell about, landing right and left to the head. Attell fought back like a demon, sending in rights and lefts to the jaw incessantly, and Nelson's face soon looked like a raw steak. Blood began to pour from his nose, which Attell kept pegging at with merciless precision. Nelson forced the fighting, but Attell fairly blinded him with a continuous fusillade of lefts and rights to the face. The bell rang and Nelson went to his seat bleeding freely. It was Attell's round.

Sixth round—They closed in, fighting carefully. Attell showed equal cleverness at the mixing game and most of Nelson's efforts went for naught. Attell drove two rights and a left to the stomach and then swung a left to the face. "Are they coming fast enough?" cried Abe as he sought to pepper Nelson with left and right, but the bell ended the round. Attell had the advantage, although Nelson appeared to be much stronger.

Seventh round—They fought to close quarters, Nelson putting left to the body and outfighting Attell at this work. Nelson wrestled Attell to the ropes and the latter worked to close quarters, where Nelson planted a stiff left to the face. Attell broke away and again began his bombardment right and left swings on the Battler's jaw and face as the bell rang. Nelson had the advantage early in the round, but Attell reversed this and went to his corner with the honors.

Eighth round—They continued to fight at close range, Attell complaining about Nelson butting. Attell jarred Nelson with three left hooks to the jaw and a moment later shot in two lefts and a hard left hook to the nose and jaw. Nelson landed a straight right to the face. The bell ended with the men fighting furiously at close range. Attell had a lead.

Ninth round—After Attell had jarred Nelson with three terrific lefts to the jaw, the Battler almost sent his man through the ropes with a straight right to the stomach. Nelson kept relentlessly after his man and forced Attell to cover. Attell, after stalling, suddenly loosened up and showered fight and left swings with great force to the Battler's jaw and face. The bell found Attell hammering away at Nelson's jaw and turning what for a moment seemed defeat into a drawn struggle for the round honors. It was a wonderful round from all standpoints.

Tenth round—After Attell had hooked a hard left to the jaw Nelson sent a straight left to the jaw and closed in and received three left hooks on his bleeding face. Attell shook Nelson up with a right hook to the jaw and quickly followed it with three stinging lefts to the face. Nelson, however, fought back hard all the time and inflicted some punishment as the round ended. It was practically an even round.

Eleventh round—Attell gave a marvelous exhibition of sidestepping and ducking. Nelson twice hitting the ropes with his gloves. Nelson drove his right to the stomach and Attell swung three rights to the jaw with much force. They exchanged fierce right and left swings to the jaw as the bell clanged, both men fighting every inch of the way. Attell had a shade.

NELSON SHINES.

Twelfth round—Nelson shot three lefts to the jaw and fought Attell against the ropes. Attell stalled and the crowd yelled "Nelson," "Nelson." Nelson forced Attell about and started the blood from his nose with three hard left swings. Nelson nearly floored Attell with a left to the jaw. The latter fought back gamely and landed several rights and lefts to the face. Attell again cut lose and landed three lefts and a right swing to the jaw. It was a vicious round, Nelson enjoying the honors.

Thirteenth round—Nelson started off with two lefts to the jaw, and forced his man around the ring. Attell broke ground, and finally they went to close quarters. Attell smothering Nelson's blows. Nelson drove a wicked right to the stomach and followed it with left and right swings to the face. Attell recovered, and landed several left and right swings on the Battler's jaw. Attell hooked his right to the jaw, and both men fought viciously at close range. Attell swung left and right to the jaw, but could not stop the Battler's onslaughts. Mixing it, Attell hooked a fierce right to the jaw, and they mixed it, exchanging punch for punch as the bell rang. Nelson had more force to his blows, and if anything had a lead.

Fourteenth round—Nelson rushed in, hooking a trio of rights to the face. Nelson whipped a fearful right to the stomach, and sent in two lefts to the nose that started the blood spouting from that member. Nelson clouted Attell with right to the body, and as they mix it at close range Nelson sent Attell back a foot with a powerful right to the jaw. He kept after his man relentlessly, and soon had Attell in distress. Nelson tried to land a knockout. They fought at an almost superhuman pace, and as the bell rang they almost fell through the ropes from the viciousness of their efforts. Nelson seemed to have a shade.

Fifteenth round—Nelson, his face bleeding and his eyes swollen, fought like a madman, but could not land a vital punch. The crowd was in a great uproar at the end of the round. It ended with the men fighting viciously at close range. The crowd yelled itself hoarse for one man or the other. Referee Smith promptly called the contest a draw.

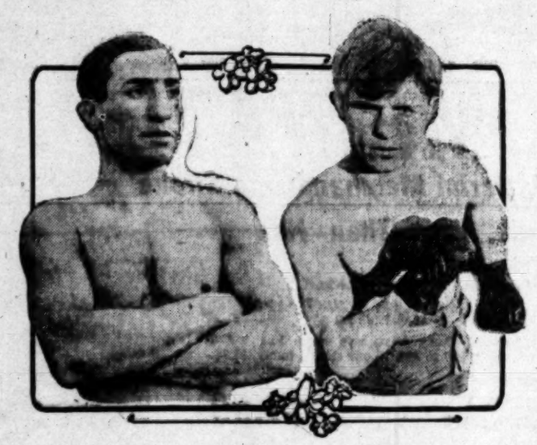
LAST WORK TODAY.

BROCK AND MEMSIC READY.

Two more days remain before the Brock-Memsic fight at the Pacific Athletic Club pavilion and if training counts for anything, the fans will probably be treated to something good in the way of a scrap. It goes without saying that each man will do his best to win, for victory means everything to the beat one.

Memsic resumed his training yesterday at San Pedro, after taking a layoff of a day and he started out with eight miles on the road in the morning. In the afternoon he devoted an hour to hard work in the gym, boxing four rounds each with Kid Webster and Young Turk, punching the bag and working the pulleys. He will go through the same routine today and it will be his last day of training. He declares he is down to weight and will make 133 pounds and be good and strong.

Brock hit the road yesterday morning for a long run and in the afternoon followed with the usual gym stunts and wound up with six rounds boxing with Kid Dalton. After this he wrestled with Jim Llynn. As if this were not enough for one day, he went out on the water at Eastlake Park and rowed several miles in a boat. He weighed 130 pounds yesterday and will do no work after today.



Abe Attell and Bat Nelson,
two crack pugs who fought a fifteen-round draw last night in San Francisco.

WALSH WINS EASILY.

REFEREE CALLS A DRAW.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BOSTON, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Jimmy Walsh had all the best of his twelve-round bout with Al Delmont here tonight, but Referee Sheehan passed him a lemon when he called the bout a draw. Delmont was far outclassed, and did not have a chance with Walsh. In the third round it lookde like a knock-out. Walsh drove a terrific right smash to the jaw, flooring Delmont, and followed this up with fast fighting, which should have brought him victory. Again in the eighth round Walsh had Delmont groggy, rocking his head with left jabs and right hooks with lightning speed, and had him in a bad way.

Delmont was aggressive throughout and took his severe punishment gamely. The announcement of a draw decision was hissed, and nearly caused a riot. The unanimous opinion of the sports at the ringside is that Walsh clearly had the better of the bout from start to finish and was robbed of a well-earned victory.

GANS SWELLED UP.

WANTS A BIG GUARANTEE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PHILADELPHIA, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Joe Gans, the lightweight champion of the world will not fight Rudolph Unholz at Jim Jeffries' club in Los Angeles unless he receives a substantial guarantee. Gans arrived in Philadelphia today, in readiness for his six-round bout with Spike Robson tomorrow night, and Jack McGuigan showed him a telegram which he had just received from Jeffries offering to match Gans and Unholz. The colored man said:

"Any time Jeffries fought, after he reached the top of the ladder, he demanded and received a guarantee, and I want the same. I am champion of the world, and think I am entitled to get some certain sum if I fight any man. I am not particularly anxious to box again. You can say for me that I will never meet any one unless I get a good guarantees, and it must be a big one at that."

SATURDAY MEET.

PASADENA-POLYTECHNIC.

Pasadena High School and Polytechnic will compete in a dual track meet at U.S.C. Saturday afternoon. The teams showed by their performances in the County League meet that they are fairly well matched, although Pasadena made the better showing.

The Crown City boys were anxious to arrange a meet with Los Angeles High School, but as the blue-and-white athletes, in view of the proposed northern trip, did not see their way clear to accept the challenge, "Poly" was substituted.

In the big meet last Saturday, Pasadena secured three firsts and Polytechnic captured two. Pasadena made the better showing in the relay race. However, the local High School made the better showing in second and third places and for this reason believe that they can best Pasadena in a dual meet.

OCCIDENTAL LOSES.

NOT IN WINNING FORM.

The Southern California Business College ball team defeated Occidental yesterday afternoon on the Presbyterian diamond by the score of 5 to 3. The Presbyterians have not rounded into form yet and played a ragged game. The good fielding of the visitors and Spaulding's timely batting were the features of the game.

The business college team has won fourteen out of fifteen games this season, losing only to U.S.C. Next Saturday they will play St. Vincent's Academy at St. Vincent's.

The Occidental 'varsity will go to Oxnard tomorrow morning to meet the High School of that place. Games will also be played in Santa Barbara and Ventura.

Yesterday's line-up was as follows:

Business College.		Occidental.
Welsh	catcher	Woodside
Venable	pitcher	Patterson
Bock	first base	B. Merrill
Black	second base	McClung
		Johnson
Etchegaray	third base	McKenney
Briswalter	shortstop	Wieman
Spaulding	left field	Thomas
Wiggins	center field	Bird
Yaudell	right field	Baer

Score:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Business College ..	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	2—5
Hits	1	0	1	1	1	1	0	2	2—9
Occidental	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0—3
Hits	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0—4

Season's Record Good.

Occidental Academy has just closed the track season after winning three meets and losing none. The Presbyterians defeated Santa Paula High School last Saturday by the score of 67⅔ to 57⅓. A morning paper reported the meet as a tie, but the relay race, which was won by Occidental, was not counted in the reckoning.

SCORE IN FINAL.

"POLY" TAKES CLOSE GAME.

Beats Los Angeles High School at Baseball.

Scores Winning Run in Last of Ninth Inning.

Lafferty Shows Himself Star by Good Pitching.

Polytechnic 3, Los Angeles High School 2.

In the most closely contested interscholastic baseball game of the season, Polytechnic defeated Los Angeles High yesterday afternoon at Chutes Park. The game was a tie until the last of the ninth inning, when the Washington-street aggregation got busy and batted in the winning run.

Over a thousand students filled the grandstand and yelled like Dervishes whenever their favorites secured an advantage. Both schools had organized rooting clubs.

Beamer and Lafferty pitched excellent ball. The "Poly" twirler only allowed three hits and these were so scattered that only one figured in the scoring. The mechanics landed on Beamer for eight hits. The Los Angeles batsmen had bad luck in placing their hits, while the Polytechnic boys dropped theirs in safe places.

Both teams have several new players who are not strong with the stick and the teams do not appear as efficient as they were last year.

Keisey and Malone did fair work behind the bat, although both were inclined to be slow in going after foul flys and watching the men on the bases.

Los Angeles High scored first. There was nothing doing in the first inning. In the second the first two men up for Los Angeles High were easy outs, but J. Howard got a base on balls, stole second, and came home on a passed ball.

In the fourth inning "Poly" landed on Beamer for two hits, which netted two runs and gave them the lead. Pratt was the first man up and rapped out a liner that went through Sefton and was good for two bases. Lafferty was passed to first, and Pratt stole third and scored on a passed ball. Strang knocked out a single to left and Lafferty crossed the plate. The next three men went out.

Los Angeles High made their second and last run in the sixth inning. Wilson struck out, and Cass followed with a pretty single over third base. Beamer dumped a bunt in front of the plate, and was safe on Malone's wild throw, but Beamer turned in the wrong direction and Strang tried to touch him with the ball. Beamer backed away, and as Strang was following him up, apparently forgetting about Cass, w was on second, the High School man sneaked home.

In the seventh inning, Lafferty pulled himself out of a bad hole by clever pitching. Jack Howard caught a hard liner in deep right that looked good for a hit.

When Los Angeles High opened the ninth inning the crowd got up and began to roar louder than ever. Halbriter and Kelsey were easy outs, but Winget got to first on Rickerhauser's wild throw after he had made a spectacular stop of a hard grounder. Winget tried to steal second, but Malone's pretty throw to "Monk" Pierce nailed him at the bag, and brought the session to a close.

Brown was the first man up for "Poly" and reached first on P. Howard's failure to handle his difficult grounder. T. Pierce came up for Harlow, who had struck out four times, and hit one to short, which Howard passed to Winget in time to get Brown. Price placed a single over third base and T. Pierce landed on third. The "Poly" section of the bleachers went wild. With only one man out, they saw victory in sight. M. Pierce sacrificed Price to second, but T. Pierce was held on third. Malone came to the bat. Two men were out and it was up to him to do or die. After taking two strikes, he planted the ball between short and second base, and T. Pierce crossed the plate with the winning run.

The Polytechnic students held a celebration on the field after the game.

The score:

POLYTECHNIC.

	A.	B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Harlow, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Price, cf	5	0	2	0	0	0	0
M. Pierce, ss	5	0	1	2	4	1	
Malone, c	5	0	1	1	10	0	0
Pratt, lf	4	1	1	0	0	0	0
Lafferty, p	4	1	1	0	0	2	0
Strang, 1b	4	0	0	1	13	0	0
Rickerhauser, 2b	4	0	0	0	2	2	1
Brown, 2b	4	0	0	0	0	1	0
T. Pierce	4	0	0	0	1	0	0
Totals	40	3	5	4	27	15	2

LOS ANGELES HIGH.

	A.	B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Cass, cf	4	0	1	1	0	0	0
Beamer, p	4	0	0	1	1	2	0
Halbriter, 1b	4	0	0	1	8	0	0
Kelsey, c	4	0	0	0	10	2	0
Winget, 2b	4	0	1	1	2	2	1
J. Howard, rf	3	1	0	1	1	0	0
Sefton, lf	3	0	0	0	2	0	1
P. Howard, ss	3	0	0	0	2	2	2
Wilson, 2b	3	0	0	0	2	2	0
Totals	32	2	2	5	28	10	5

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Polytechnic	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	—3
Base hits	1	1	0	2	0	1	1	2	—8
Los Angeles High	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	—2
Base hits	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	—3

SUMMARY.

Two-base hit—M. Pierce.
Three-base hit—Winget.
Sacrifice hits—Kelsey, Price, M. Pierce, Brown.
Stolen bases—J. Howard, 2; Price, 2; M. Pierce, 1; Lafferty, 1; Brown, 1.
First base on balls—Off Beamer, 2; off Lafferty, 5.
Bases on balls—Off Beamer, 3; off Lafferty, 5.
Struck out—By Beamer, 10; by Lafferty, 5.
Passed balls—Kelsey, Malone.
Left on bases—Polytechnic, 3; Los Angeles High, 7.
Umpire—Toman.
Time of game—1h. 55m.

U.S.C. BASEBALL.

STUDENTS PLAY SATURDAY.

The crack baseball teams of the Law School and the dental department of U.S.C., will clash on the diamond at Occidental Park Saturday afternoon, and a close game is anticipated. The legal ball tossers have developed a strong aggregation composed of former high school and college stars, and in their recent exhibitions have displayed knowledge of the game to a surprising extent. The results of the inter-class contests leaves the class championship undecided. The Seniors defeated the Juniors 15-9; the Juniors in turn beat the freshmen 16-8, while the "babies" in their match with the Seniors won out by the score of 14-8.

The probable line-up of the Law School nine for the Saturday game is as follows: Folsom, catcher; McKnight, pitcher; Dickison, first base; Kerns, second base; Lacy, shortstop; Warring, third base; Hunsaker, left field; Watson, center field; Allen, right field. The fight for positions has been keen, and a number of candidates prominent for team positions will be tried out. McKnight with two years of 'varsity experience, has the pitcher's berth cinched, although Cooper and Brown are available as substitutes. Peck, former star of the Pasadena High School nine, is clever at short, and with Barrett, a Baraca player, will give Lacy a rub for the infield position. Arnold, a Stanford suostitute, and Charlie Wilson, a former Methodist player, are equally good in the garden, and will be given trials. Other subs are Browning at short, Sorensen at third, Goode and Davidson in the field. A game will later be played with the liberal arts nine.

SOUTHERN STATE BALL.

LEVY TEAM JOINS LEAGUE.

At a meeting of the Southern State Baseball League yesterday in Eagle Hall, the Christopher-Levy team was admitted to the league. This team will be reorganized by W. Frayer, and will begin activities next Sunday. It was decided that hereafter a charge would be made for admission at Arcadia, as under the old arrangement of contributions the game was a losing proposition.

The schedule for next Sunday is as follows: Christopher-Levys and Morans at Joy Park, 1 o'clock; Salt Lakes and Morans at Joy Park, 2:45 o'clock; Dyas-Clines and Santa Anita at Arcadia; Eagles and Lordsburg at Lordsburg. The season will close June 14.

NON-STOP RUN.

Reo Is Chugging on in Effort to Win World's Mark—Car Has Hard Task.

The Reo light touring car, which is making the effort to break the world non-stop motor record, had completed more than 209 miles at midnight. J. A. Nikrent, in charge of the car since the start early yesterday, will remain at the wheel until 6 o'clock this evening. There was no trouble with the motor, and the machine behaved splendidly. Nikrent stands a good chance to win in his effort to spin out the long grind.

On the car with Nikrent yesterday was Carl Bonney, who kept tab on the buzzing motor. The car was driven over the downtown streets for the greater part of the day, and was sent along Central avenue and West Pico street last night. Edwin Crail acted as observer through the night hours. The two men will relieve each other, and Dickenson will take Nikrent's place tonight.

SUNDAY CRICKET.

Los Angeles Club Members Will Begin Practice for the Season and Discuss New Grounds.

On Sunday next, the members of the Los Angeles Cricket Club will open the season with a practice game on their new grounds, at the junction of the Venice and Redondo lines. Wickets will be pitched at 2 o'clock. All those interested in cricket are cordially invited to attend. Secretary G. F. Gadsdon will be on hand to take the names of prospective members, and after stumps have been drawn, various items will be discussed in regard to the new ground, and the pavilion which is now under construction.

The new ground may be reached, either by a Pico Heights car to the end of the line, which takes one within five or six blocks, or by the Los Angeles Pacific to Pico Road.

Speedy Foot Race.

CARLISLE (Pa.) March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Indians from the Southwest were the winners in today's big cross-country run at the Carlisle Indian commencement, in a course of nearly three miles. A Hopi Indian from Arizona, Louis Tewanima, won in 14 minutes, 25 seconds. Jorn Corn, a Pueblo from New Mexico, and Peter Thomas, a Digger Indian from California, were second and third. Over forty Indian tribes were represented.

WRESTLING TOURNEY.

Entries for the Events on Saturday Night Will not Be Closed Until Thursday Evening.

The wrestling tournament will be held in Armory Hall Saturday night. Arrangements are being made to accommodate a thousand persons and a section of the grand stand will be reserved for ladies. The contestants will appear in full gymnasium suits.

Entries were to have closed last Saturday, but in order to secure the best talent the list will not be closed until tomorrow night. The entries of the San Pedro Athletic Club, which were expected to be the first among those received, have not put in an appearance as yet. Charlie Eyton will referee the bouts, and Les Henry will do the scoring.

New World's Record.

MONTREAL, March 30.—A world's record was broken at the Montreal Amateur Athletic Association indoor races last night, when F. L. Lukeman of the M.A.A.A. won the sixty-yard dash in 6 1-5s. The previous record was 6 2-5s.

A Trip to Hawaii—$125.

Ella Wheeler Wilcox has just returned from Honolulu and says that she is so pleased with "the Islands" that she and her husband will return there and establish a summer home; that no place compares with it as a resort. Mrs. Wilcox is preparing a book with poems on these beautiful islands, to be published soon. The round trip by the fast S.S. ALAMEDA, sailing from San Francisco April 11, is only $125 first class. Parties of fifteen, $110 each. Five and a half days at sea each way. A splendid trip. Write or telegraph for berths by the ALAMEDA to Oceanic Line, 673 Market street, San Francisco. A. M. Culver, agent, 224 South Spring street.

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SCORE IN FINAL.

SONOMA GIRL IS THE FAVORITE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BOSTON, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Sonoma Girl, the star Los Angeles trotter, is favorite in the preliminary betting in the books being made up here for the Readville big free-for-all $5000 trot on July 4.

Four horses only are known yet as starters, but these four have records sufficient to entitle them to the best odds in the books. The others are George G. and Axcyell, both of which never met defeat last season. It is doubtful if Highball is entered but the matter is not definitely settled.

LAST CHANCE.

FINAL MEET ON SATURDAY.

POMONA AND BERKELEY ARE TO CLASH IN NORTH.

Cowles and Spurgeon Expected to Furnish Great Contest in the High Hurdles—Athletes of the South Do not Expect to Do Great Things in Field Events.

The last important track meet of the season in which southern college athletes will appear will be held next Saturday when Pomona College meets the University of California at Berkeley. The Claremonters have been training on the Berkeley track since their meet with Stanford last Friday and are in excellent shape, with the exception of Munger, who has a bad ankle. However, Merriam is well qualified to represent Pomona in the high jump, having cleared the bar at 6 feet 2 inches and being consistent at 6 feet.

Pomona scored twice as many points against Stanford as U.S.C. made in the North, and inasmuch as the Methodists gave Berkeley a hard fight last Saturday, Pomona students are counting on their team to give the northerners the fight of their lives. However, Berkeley will have a stronger team against Pomona than they sent South, as the freshmen team, which did not contribute athletes to the 'varsity that appeared in this city, will be drawn upon for the Pomona meet.

The race between Cowles of Berkeley and Spurgeon of Pomona in the high hurdles will be one of the features of the meet, as both men have covered the distance in 16 seconds or better. The odds are in favor of the northerner, as Spurgeon does not usually run this event in record time on a strange track. The 220-yard hurdle race is the event in which Spurgeon is at his best and he should have no difficulty in annexing first place.

The Pomonans are counting on Sloane to take points in the 100 and 440-yard dashes, although better than second place in either event would surprise his supporters. Himrod should be a sure winner in the mile, as he is the recognized Coast champion at this distance.

Jones and Leeke will run the two-mile race for Pomona, but neither is expected to take first place, although they look good for some points.

The relay race promises to be fiercely contested. Pomona has a great quartet of quarter-milers in Sloane, Rogers, McKee and Spurgeon, and as they have prepared especially for the northern competition, a new record may be established.

Outside of the high jump, the Pomonans probably will be outclassed in the field events, although Birdsall and Merriam may place in the pole vault, and Rogers may spread out in the broad jump. Metcalf is not expected to take first place in the hammer throw, and Davenport will have to exceed his past performances of the year in order to loom up in the shotput.

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FAVORITES BEATEN AT ARCADIA MERRY-GO-ROUND.

Some Impossible Plugs Come to Life and Gallop in as Winners. Reuben Starts the "Sport" With a Victory at Odds of Ten and Two Beasts at Eight Follow Closely.

Five more "get-away-week" nags won races at the Arcadia track yesterday and the gamblers on favorites had another bad day. All the races had good-sized fields, the first event having fourteen starters and the last one twelve. There was no class to any of the events, for there were nothing but cheap dogs entered. But two favorites finished in front and one of these was Silverskin in the fifth race, at odds of 9 to 10.

There was so little class in the events that the gamblers took chances with almost any old thing that started and bet themselves black in the face on four or five plugs in each race, and the bookmakers were thus enabled to win the money. More long shots are expected each day as the meeting draws to a close and there will doubtless be a number of "shoo-ins." Results:

Six furlongs, selling: Reuben, 120 (Preston,) 10 to 1, won; Pal, 130 (Goldstein,) even, second; Jillette, 120 (Nelson,) 30 to 1, third. Time, 1:14 4-5. Prince Frederick, Rudabek, Perry Wickes, Gateway, Search Me, Royal Rogue, Benevole, Golden Rule, Slippery, Col. Jewell and Interlude also ran. Bonnie Prince Charley and La Chata scratched.

Four and one-half furlongs, maiden two-year-olds: Louise Reggel, 107 (Preston,) 8 to 1, won; Alice George, 107 (Musgrave,) 7 to 10, second; Calera, 107 (Archibald,) 3 to 1, third. Time, 0:54 2-5. Chinquipin, King of Camp and Allen Lee also ran. Knight of the East scratched.

Mile, selling: Decorator, 104 (Archibald,) 7 to 5, won; Franciscan, 104 (Goldstein,) 6 to 1, second; Master Lester, 108 (Rice,) 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:26 2-5. Toller, Korosilany, J. C. Graus and Sink Spring also ran. Mary F. scratched.

Mile and three-sixteenths, selling: Silverskin, 109 (Musgrave,) even, won; Avontellus, 107 (Rice,) 2 to 1, second; Ellis, 104 (Goldstein,) 12 to 1, third. Time, 2:00. Sainrida and Lucky Lad also ran.

Seven furlongs, selling: Bemay, 103 (Martin,) 9 to 2, won; Cobbleskill, 105 (Archibald,) 20 to 1, second; Giovanni Balerio, 108 (Goldstein,) 18 to 5, third. Time, 1:26 2-5. Rustling Silk, The Sultan, Bird of Passage and Nattie Bumppo also ran. Ed Sheridan scratched.

Six furlongs, selling: Andoche, 127 (Musgrave,) 6 to 1, won; Elfin King, 130 (Rice,) 6 to 1, second; Sharp Boy, 130 (Murphy,) 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:15 2-5. Prolific, Gonzales, Progress, Beautiful and Best, Norwood Ohio, Freesias, Paddy Lynch, Royal Ascot and Baniada also ran. Tattenham, Bon Vivant, Nash Buckingham and No Bid scratched.

Arcadia Entries.

First race, selling, five and one-half furlongs:

Daisy Frost	106
*Lady Laughter	96
Myrtle H.	104
Spinstress	104
Nun's Veiling	104
Esther B	101
Hazel Thorpe	104
Burnolette	104
Buena	101
Chicorka Maid	104
*Jilette	99
Miss Himyar	101
Koenigin Louise	104
Pepper and Salt	101
Bauble	104
Grandita	106

Second race, selling, seven furlongs:

Dr. Crook	108
Adela R.	106
Black Dress	96
Jimalong	111
Playlit	103
*Taraban	93
Barney Oldfield	98
Arragon	105
Taos	108
Charles Green	111
Albion H.	96
Eonite	98
Dally	96
Karodo	101

Third race, selling, one mile:

John Lyle	107
Gossiper II	105
Matador	110
Associate	103
*Rustling Silk	100
Sainrida	101
Search Me	110
Little Minister	103
Mandarin	110
*Col. Jewell	102
Joan J. Rogers	103
*Bird of Passage	102
Hon. Pr. Charlie	107
Bellal	110

Fourth race, selling, five furlongs:

Hereafter	102
Our Anna	101
Billy Mayham	106
Wisteria	104
La Chata	104
McChord	105
Bribery	104
Halton	104
Succeed	104
Paddy Lynch	106
Orello	106
Aunt Polly	104
Giovanni Balerio	106
Bow the Fiddler	106
Ontario Oregon	106
Greenore	106

Fifth race, selling, one and one-eighth miles:

Freesias	105
Ezra	107
Mountebank	107
Montanes	106
Rama	100
Dr. White	98
Frascuelto	103
Rosemary D	101
Audubon	98
Senator William Stone	98
Leo Bright	110
Attila	107
Salina	105

Sixth race, selling, five furlongs:

Lancashire Lad	107
Cardinal	107
*Maxnal	102
Kopek	105
Rathnally	100
Dr. Weise	107
Feb G.	100
Little Wicky	105
S. A. Carlisle	110
Franciscan	107
Decorator	107
Lake View	107
*Abraham	102

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Seventh race, selling, one mile:

Antara	107
Stoney Lee	103
Cork Hill	106
Hi Caul Cap	107
Norwood Ohio	107
Dulcinea	101
Bushwhacker	107
Ed Sheridan	107
Foncasta	107
Rudabek	97
Atkins	110
Leash	105
Buster Jones	103
Ormonde's Right	107

*Apprentice allowance.

RACES AT OAKLAND.

LOGISTILLA WINS AGAIN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—The Mayfield Handicap at Emeryville was a very close race between Cloyne and Logistilla, the former being beaten out after a hard drive. Johnny Lyons made all the running with Cloyne until the stretch was reached. Show money went to J. C. Clem. The mile and a sixteenth event was won by Rhinock with ease. Results:

Five and a half furlongs: Bryan, 99 (A. Walsh,) 11 to 5, won; Magrane, 110 (McIntyre,) 5 to 1, second; Azusa, 111 (Dearnborn,) 16 to 1, third; time 1:08 1-5. Irene Outtrim, Lustig, Day Star, Mattie H., San Ramon, Reno Rebel, Isolation, Hector and Huachuca also ran.

Three and a half furlongs, purse: Right Easy, 109 (A. Walsh,) even, won; Yakima Belle, 109 (Scoville,) 9 to 1, second; Osorine, 111 (Gilbert,) 40 to 1, third; time 0:41 2-5. Mauretania, Assay, Morea, Mabel Fountain, Trocha, Lady Claude, Twin Heart, Hanna, Louise and England finished as named.

Six furlongs, selling: Gargantua, 108 (W. Miller,) even, won; Blondy, 110 (McIntyre,) 8 to 5, second; Distributor, 106 (McClain,) 200 to 1, third; time 1:26 2-5. Dick Wilson, Capt. Burnette, Sachet and Parting Jannie finished as named.

Mile and a quarter, Mayfield Handicap: Logistilla, 100 (Heatherton,) 7 to 1, won; Cloyne, 94 (A. Walsh,) 5 to 2, second; J. C. Clem, 98 (Gilbert,) 7 to 2 third; time 2:05 1-5. Janeta and Johnny Lyons finished as named.

Mile and a sixteenth, selling: Rhinock, 107 (Scoville,) 20 to 1, won; Mary B. Clark, 105 (Moreland,) 7 to 1, second; Huxzah, 99 (Gilbert,) 8 to 1, third; time 1:47 1-5. Red Ball, Fairy Street, Alcibiades, Gannet, Midmont, Stilicho and Callas finished as named. My Pal was left.

Five and a half furlongs, selling: James A. Murray, 110 (Keogh,) 3 to 1, won; Hand Maiden, 109 (Butwell,) 16 to 1, second; Severton, 111 (Mentry,) 4 to 1, third; time 1:07 1-5. Abbey, Galvanic, Sam McGibben, Shady Lad, Billy Myer, Curriculum, Nonie and Belle Griffon finished as named.

New Orleans Races.

NEW ORLEANS, March 31.—Fair Grounds results:

Four furlongs: Romp won, Lady Leota second, Little Mose third; time 0:49 1-5.

Six furlongs: Jack Bratton won, Raymondo second, Allen Boy third; time 1:15 4-5.

Five and one-half furlongs: Kiamesha II won, Voohome second, Zien third; time 1:08 3-5.

Six furlongs: Blagg won, Al Muller second, Hyperion II third; time 1:12 2-5.

Mile and seventy yards: Monsignor won, Jack Witt second, Arrow Swift third; time 1:44 2-5.

Six furlongs, handicap: Hannibal Bey won, Royal Onyx second, Gold Proof third; time 1:14.

Mile and one-sixteenth: Whiskbroom won, Albert Star second, Albert M. third; time 1:44.

Bennings Card.

BENNINGS, March 31.—Results:

Five furlongs: Oxford won, Simple honors second, Oraculum third; time 1:05.

Four and one-half furlongs: Obdurate won, Spencer Well second, Taboo third; time 0:57 2-5.

Six and one-half furlongs: Right and True won, Wilton Lackaye second, Woodline third; time 1:25 3-5.

Seven furlongs: Poquessing won, Park Row second, Oraculum third; time 1:31 1-5.

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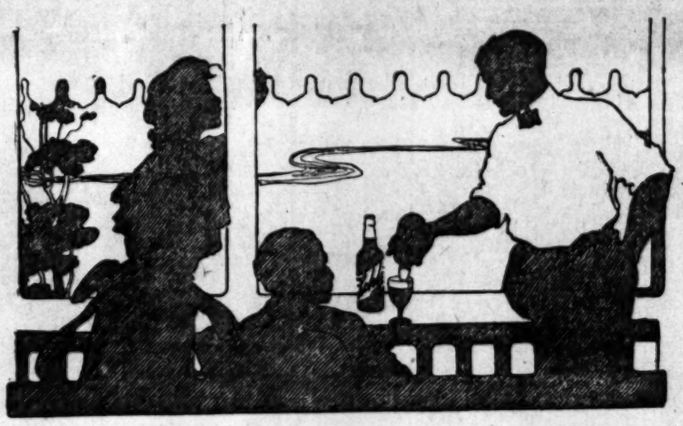

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PERSONAL—Business.

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A TRUE, FEARLESS, CONSCIENTIOUS PSYCHIC IS STANLEY.
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HENLEY,
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This man can tell you all about your social or business affairs. It pays to consider one who knows. Don't delay, call today.
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WANTED—YOUNG FELLOW TO LEARN the refining business; must be capable of handling a boiler and barrels; refining oil; wages $2 per day; board $1 per day. Also one tinner for making iron barrels; wages $3 per day, board $1 per day. Railroad fare $7.15; must be furnished by applicant. Apply 212 TAJO BLDG., corner First and Broadway.

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WANTED — A FINE APPEARING GRAT physician with recent hospital experience; must be good case taker; good salary; permanent; no traveling; also a registered youngster doctor to learn typewriting. Call at 747 S. MAIN ST. Please send this to such doctor.

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429 W. SIXTH ST. Phone 6253, Main 6252.
COOKS, WAITERS, PORTERS.
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WANTED—4 YOUNG MEN BETWEEN 18 and 25 years of age to prepare for positions as telegraph operators at our institution. See Mr. Mackay, representing Southern Pacific Company, 540 Central Ave., near Arcade Depot, Los Angeles.

WANTED — HANSEN EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 504 E. Second st. A699; Main 3263. Milker, butter maker, gardener, ranch hands, plowing, planting; man and wife ranch, man and wife, cook and waitress; new orders constantly.

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WANTED — BOOKKEEPER FOR DEPARTment store out of city; must be fully experienced, healthy and have good references; good salary. Apply WESTGATE'S BRAIN BUREAU, 224 Security Bldg.

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WANTED — YOUNG MAN, EXPERIENCED in lumber, as assistant bookkeeper, sales clerk and collector, large concern, north; salary $18; good future for right man. Apply 339 BYRNE BLDG.

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WANTED—SOLICITORS, 2 MEN OF ABILity, references; salary and commission; must be conscientious workers. AMERICAN HOSPITAL ASSN., room 410, 424 S. Broadway, 9 a.m.

WANTED — YOUNG MAN, 17 TO 18, GOOD at figures, as stock clerk and assistant in office; $7 per week; good position with a future for a good boy. Apply 525 BYRNE BLDG.

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WANTED — SALESMEN TO PLACE OUR line of cigars and gum with excellent premium deals. Address CROWN CIGAR CO., Milwaukee, Wis.

WANTED—STEADY MAN, MIDDLE AGED, to work around 2-acre ranch, good room and board, not much money. F. J. DECKER, 1544 Lismer Bldg.

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WANTED — TEN YOUNG MEN WITH wheels wanted at once. 118 W. THIRD ST. Must be over 16 years of age. Good wages.

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WANTED — MANUFACTURING JEWELER and stone cutter on turquoises. Apply LOS ANGELES GEM CO., 429 S. Broadway.

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WANTED — EXPERIENCED COOK FOR mining camp, high wages. Call today. 1706 MAIN ST., Santa Ana.

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WANTED—QUICK DENTIST, GOOD SALary and commission. BOSTON DENTISTS, Seventh and Main.

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WANTED — AGENTS TO MAKE 300 PER cent; household necessity; no fake. 402 L. A. TRUST BLDG.

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WANTED — FIRST-CLASS PRESSER ON coats. W. A. JOHNSTONE & CO., 312 South Spring.

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WANTED — MAN TO DRIVE EXPRESS wagon and handle trunks. Apply 7 a.m., 405 W. 6th st. ACME EXPRESS CO.

WANTED — 25 CARPENTERS TO GO TO Venice. Call 508-7 Security Bldg. P. H. CROSS & CO.

WANTED—SHINGLERS, AT 506-7 SECURity Bldg. P. H. CROSS & CO.

WANTED — BOOKKEEPER, FANCY SILK WAIST MFG. CO., 209 S. Los Angeles st.

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS CARPENTER. Apply at once. 1531 HARVARD BLVD.

WANTED—LADIES' TAILORS. 74 NORTH RAYMOND AVE., Pasadena.

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS COAT MAKERS, SCOTCH TAILORS, 326 S. Spring.

WANTED—CITY SALESMAN; APPLY 636 S. BROADWAY.

WANTED— Help. Male.

WANTED—
HUMMEL BROS. & CO.,
A strictly first-class agency,
All kinds of help promptly furnished.
Your orders solicited
116 EAST SECOND STREET.
Between Main and Los Angeles sts.
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Largest and most popular agency,
311 W. Sixth st., Los Angeles, Cal.
House cleaning department.
Window cleaning department.
'Phones—Home F7612, Main 1714.
General labor contractors. Every department insures responsibility. 14

WANTED— Male or Female Help. (Investment Required.)

WANTED—1 OR 2 GOOD RELIABLE MEN to take charge of our city retail store; we wish to devote our time to manufacture and wholesale part of our business; we make the best oil, gas burner on the market; no soot, smoke or odor. We will turn over to you the retail trade; small capital required to purchase some merchandise. Call 643 S. Spring. JACKSON OIL BURNER CO.

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WANTED—GIRL TO ASSIST WITH HOUSEwork in family of 3; telephone GLENDALE 1063.

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WANTED—YOUNG GIRL TO MAKE SILK drop skirts; must be neat and rapid. Call 1010 S. HILL.

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WANTED—FIRST-CLASS FINISHERS ON pants. Apply D. ROSENBLUM, room 2, 114 S. Spring st.

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FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL 1½-STORY BUNGALOW, 5 rooms, modern and complete in every detail; everything for comfort and convenience and as pretty a home as any one could wish; see $4000, $200 down, balance terms, or will take good lot or lots as part payment; will sell furniture to purchaser if desired at a great sacrifice. APPLY AT 620 PLACE (Bartel st.) Moneta ave. car. 1

FOR SALE—GREAT CAESAR'S GHOST, look here, $50 down, balance $20 monthly, including interest, buys elegant modern 5-room house, just finished, near Central ave., on a 45 foot lot. Price $2300. Let us stop having rent. See STENTON REALTY CO., 1405 S. Vernon ave., corner Hooper car line.

FOR SALE—$2500; 7-ROOM 2-STORY HOUSE, 2424 S. Hope st., W. Adams section; lot 90x135; choice location; actual value $4500; lot alone worth $1250. Bargain. Call and see it. BURNS-HUTCHINSON CO., owners, 631 Security Bldg., Fifth and Spring. Main 297, F7139.

FOR SALE — ELEGANT 5-ROOM BUNGALOW near 43d st. and Moneta; 50-ft. lot; hardwood floors, beam ceilings, panelled walls, elegant mantel, fence. Small payment down, balance like rent. MONETA AVE. REALTY CO., cor. Moneta and Vernon. South 2033, B2867.

FOR SALE, — MOST BEAUTIFUL 6-ROOM bungalow, lot 128 W. Seneca, near Moneta; oak floors, beam ceilings, panelled walls, bookcase, writing desk, elaborate fixtures, dollar clinker brick chimney, wash tray. Small payment down; must sell. Owner, SOUTH 1282. 1

FOR SALE—
$400 CASH, $20 MONTHLY.
Beautiful 5-room modern bungalow, oak floors, panelled, living-room, 14x20; lot 50x135; location 127 E. 51st.
KERR & MORRISON, 214 Frost Bldg.

FOR SALE—MY IDEAL, MODERN, UP-TO-date 6-room bungalow, W. 20th st., just completed. Must be seen to be appreciated. Would consider good city lot as part payment. Easy terms. Price $3500. Owner, 319 S. SPRING, room 16 and 17. A2427. Main 3208. 1

FOR SALE—COMFORTABLE HOME, 7 rooms, porches, good location, in Tucson, Ariz. $4000, furnished, will exchange for vacant lot in southwest part of Los Angeles. Address P. O. box 1465, TUCSON, ARIZ. Phone city, Main 7445.

FOR SALE—$3800; A SNAP; 713 W. 42D ST., new, pretty, modern 5-room cottage, $500 down and $25 monthly; lot 50x150. Take Grand ave. car to 42d st. and see this house. Inside and out; then see me. Phone A7790. WATSON, 327 Bank & Trust Bldg.

FOR SALE—A NEW STORY-AND-HALF house, $1000 cash, balance in monthly installments. This house is well located and has a beautiful outlook, both of the sea and the mountains. STEPHENS INVESTMENT CO., 530 Wilcox Bldg.

FOR SALE — $50; NEW 4-ROOM HOUSE, furnished complete; lot 50x150; water, sink, china closet, clothes closets, bathroom, pantry, front and back porches; 5c car fare. Take Hollywood car to Benedt st. Hansen's place, HOME 4582.

FOR SALE—NEW, MODERN COTTAGE, 5 rooms, highly improved; equity $1250; will take $1100 for quick sale. HOUSE, 1514 New Hampshire.

FOR SALE—BY OWNER, $900 CASH, $20 A month; new 5-room house, large corner lot, close to car line. Call at 4706 CENTRAL AVE.

FOR SALE—NEW 5-ROOM MODERN COTTAGE, on S. Hill, only $2350; payments just like rent. OWNER, 458 S. Spring.

FOR SALE—5-ROOM STRICTLY MODERN house, price $2700. No. 1575 E. 20TH ST., city. Phone South 4546. Owner. 1

FOR SALE — NEW 4-ROOM BUNGALOW, only $1200, in southwest; payments just like rent. See OWNER, 458 S. Spring. 1

FOR SALE—NEW 5-ROOM MODERN COTTAGE, on S. Hill, only $2500; payments just like rent. See OWNER, 458 S. Spring.

FOR SALE — NEW 4-ROOM BUNGALOW, only $1200, in southwest; payments just like rent. See OWNER, 458 S. Spring. 1

FOR SALE—AT A BARGAIN, $875 TAKES A 3-room house and large lot; close to car. OWNER, 6700 Central ave.

FOR SALE—NEW, MODERN 6-ROOM COTTAGE; $300 down. 414 E. 66TH. Owner, 824 E. 25th. South 338. 2

FOR SALE—NEW COTTAGE, 5 ROOMS, OAK floors, laundry tubs. 2624 ALICE. 22782, South 6926.

FOR SALE—4-ROOM COTTAGE, MODERN, $1600, $50 cash, $20 monthly. A3249, Main 2483. 2

FOR SALE—BARGAIN; NEW, MODERN 5-room cottage. 1188 E. 32D ST.

FOR SALE— City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE—60x140, GRAND VIEW ST., BETWEEN 11th and 12th, in Palm Place; away below market for quick turn; mortgage, stock or anything reasonable for terms. F. M. WEBB, owner, 310 Bryson Bldg. Main 1704.

FOR SALE—A LADY HAVING A FINE LOT in the growing Westlake district; will sell this week way below value; going to leave the city; this is a fine bargain; no agents. Address H, box 86, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—$1800; I WILL FURNISH THE lot, you build the house, Burlington ave. near W. Fourth st.; nothing down, or will accept mortgage as payment. J. W. RICE, 503 Lissner Bldg. Tel. F1792.

FOR SALE—BUILDERS, TAKE NOTICE; $700 buys 95x150, fronting on good car line, on prominent through street; and a corner. JAMES THOMPSON, 209 W. First.

FOR SALE—BY OWNER, 2 LOTS, 4 BLOCKS north of Westlake Park; 50 ft. front. Price $800 both; $400 cash handles it. Address D, box 122, TIMES OFFICE. 2

FOR SALE—75x175, ON GRAMERCY, EAST front, cash or terms. 120 feet south of 18th. F. M. WEBB, Owner, 310 Bryson Bldg. Main 1704.

FOR SALE—4 LOTS, ½ BLOCK OFF MONETA ave., $225 each; suitable for fine home site or chicken ranch. OWNER, 458 S. Spring. 4

FOR SALE—FINE LOT, $500, CLOSE TO Moneta ave. car line. Call at MONETA AND SLAUSON AVE.

FOR SALE—LOT 50x150; EAST FRONT AND unrestricted, south of Sixth on Burlington; price $4500. OWNER, E2113, Main 6620. 2

FOR SALE— City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE—
FREE EXCURSIONS
—DAILY—
—FROM OUR OFFICE—
—TO—
MANCHESTER HEIGHTS.
Take Redondo car marked "Strawberry Park" in front of our office, tell conductor to let you off at Manchester ave.

$40,000 has been expended in permanent improvements in this subdivision, such as cement curbs and walks, grading, oiling, parkways, all lined with beautiful California pine trees, a water system which furnishes a bountiful supply piped through all alleys, a $7000 church just completed and many nice homes going up. Don't wait until prices have climbed beyond your reach.

MANCHESTER HEIGHTS

is the most sought for tract on the market today; and will soon be closed out. It lies at the southwest corner of Vermont and Manchester ave., high and sightly, commanding a superb view, with fertile, well-drained soil, $14,000 public school one block away. Go early and make your selection before the best are taken.

LARGE LOTS AT SMALL PRICES.

Manchester Heights lots are the highest class property for the least money on the market today. It lies just without the city limits of Los Angeles, and has the services of two electric car lines. The elevation gives a clear view of the entire valley surrounding Los Angeles and of the mountains. Prices $500 to $750. Terms $25 down and $10 per month. You will be surprised to find the large lots we are able to give you at these low prices. Call for free tickets and go out.

FREE EXCURSIONS
EVERY DAY FROM OUR OFFICE.
OFFICE OPEN SUNDAY
TO GIVE OUT FREE TICKETS.

Home A3574. Sunset Main 536.

GRIDER-HAMILTON-OSWALD CO.,
5 225 W. Second st.

FOR SALE—

VACANT LOTS AT BARGAIN PRICES.

IF YOU ARE LOOKING FOR A NICE LOT THAT IS WELL LOCATED AND CHEAP, I HAVE SOME VERY CHOICE ONES TO SELECT FROM, JUST WHAT YOU ARE HUNTING FOR, AND AT PRICES THAT ARE RIGHT. ASK FOR CHARLES RUBEN, WITH OSCAR B. SMITH, 213 O. T. JOHNSON BLDG., CORNER FOURTH AND BROADWAY. 1

FOR SALE—

RAMONA PARK.
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Seventeen minutes from Main st.

It is here San Gabriel Valley widens into the most perfect garden spot in Southern California. "Old Baldy," the San Bernardinos, Mt. Wilson, Mt. Lowe look over the broad sweep and open into this favored spot. California peeps through two lofty peaks and rests upon Ramona's future home. Protected in the winter and fanned by cool breezes in the summer, a perfect subdivision of homes and within the reach of all. Leave the congestion of city life and come to us and live. The fleecing of Huntington's Addition to this highland gem. Come up and see us.

ALTHOUSE BROS.,
430 S. Broadway. 2

FOR SALE—

HOMESEEKERS

THE WILSHIRE SECTION FOR

HOUSE BUILDERS.

$1620 FOR BUILDING, $1200 LOT, HARVARD NEAR EIGHTH. FOR BUNGALOWS ONLY.

$1600 FOR BUILDING, $1800 LOT, NEAR SEVENTH ON HARVARD.

$1750 FOR BUILDING, $2150 LOT, NEAR WILSHIRE ON HARVARD.

E. A. FORRESTER & SONS, INC.,
1 342-3-4 DOUGLAS BLDG.

FOR SALE—

BEST SMALL INVESTMENT IN THE CITY. I HAVE FOR SALE AT ONE-HALF ITS PACE VALUE, AN INTEREST IN A SUBDIVISION IN THE HEART OF THE WILSHIRE SECTION, BEING SOUTH OF WILSHIRE AND EAST OF WESTERN. STOCK IN THIS SUBDIVISION IS NOW CARRYING ITSELF AND THE PROPERTY AND IMPROVEMENTS ON SALES. AN ASSURED INVESTMENT. STOCK IS WORTH AND WILL BRING IN $13.50 PER SHARE. ONLY ONE SMALL BLOCK OF 600 SHARES OFFERED BY PARTY WHO MUST HAVE SOME MONEY. $10 AND $11 PER SHARE. WILL SELL IN AMOUNTS OF 100 SHARES AND UP. SEE ME TODAY.
MR. GROFF, WITH
E. A. FORRESTER & SONS, INC.,
342 DOUGLAS BLDG.

FOR SALE—

WILSHIRE BOULEVARD DISTRICT.

I will sell you a fine 4 residence site as you can find in the city, near seventy-five-thousand-dollar residences in the fashionable Wilshire boulevard district. The lot is high, sightly and level; 3 blocks above Glendale car; 60 feet in size, fronting on 70-foot street. The street improvements are the very best; cars pass within a few blocks; the title is clear and the terms will be made to suit you. If you wish to build, you don't have to pay cash for the lot. The price is only one-half what it will be a year from now.

"You're safe at Firth's."
EMIL FIRTH,
219 W. Fourth st., bet. Broadway and Hill.

FOR SALE—LOT 50x140.
In southwest; 200 ft. west of Vermont on a wide oiled avenue; curbing and sidewalks, wide parking with trees, high terraced lot with palms; beautiful location and expanse of scenery. Special this week, $500 on terms.
A. E. WARMINGTON,
510 Collins Bldg. 318 W. 5th.

FOR SALE—EXTRA FINE LARGE LOT, 150 x150, beautiful South Pasadena. Fast growing, desirable neighborhood, near car, splendid mountain view, bearing orange and other trees. Big bargain at $2800, or will sell part at same rate. To see is to appreciate it. WASHBURN BROS., 1082½ Mission st. C3009. 1

FOR SALE — SNAPS; SACRIFICES. I have 4 lots in the hills and Westlake district, that are decided bargains. If you want to invest or build a home, see me quickly. ELVIN J. CURRY, 312-16 Pay Bldg. Ex. 7172, Main 9073.

FOR SALE—FINE LOT ON FIGUEROA ST., only $800; installments. OWNER, corner Moneta and Slauson ave. 4

FOR SALE— City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE—
LOOK AND READ.
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LOOK AND READ.

Reader. Would you be interested, if we would tell you we are going to give you the choice of any unsold lot in our

NO. 10 TRACT,

BOWEN'S VERNON AND HOOPER AVENUE TRACT,

on payments of only $50 down and $10 per month, or if you will build your home, we will furnish the lot and when house is completed, take a mortgage for the full amount of the lot.

AND REMEMBER

a very liberal discount will be given for all cash.

If you will only go down to our branch office on the tract, corner of E. Vernon and Ascot aves., the agent will show you maps, prices, etc. Take Hooper ave. car and get off at Vernon ave.

These lots certainly are the best and cheapest lots in all Los Angeles today, for a home or investment. The soil is unsurpassed, being a sand loam. No mud after a hard rain. All fruits, flowers and vegetables grow perfectly in such soil. Only 5c car fare, 20 minutes out. The best of neighbors, with school, churches and all city conveniences right at your door. This tract is the last piece of acreage inside the city limits, that can be bought for subdivision at any price, so you see when these few lots are closed out you will have to go much farther out and pay fully as much as we are now offering these fine lots for on easy payments. But we want to close them out, and at the prices and terms we are asking, it will not take long, so

DO IT NOW.
GO DOWN TODAY

and select your lot or lots and build your home there, and if you are a builder and will take a bunch of 3 to 5 lots and build a nice cottage, you can sell them as fast as completed, and make a handsome profit at the price we will sell you the lots for, all cash.

Full commission to agents.

J. FRANK BOWEN,
Main office, 440 DOUGLAS BLDG.
'Phone A2472. Main 2472 for automobile.

FOR SALE—

$150 PER FOOT.

AN ELEGANT WESTLAKE CORNER, 90 x140, ALLEY; NEAR ALVARADO AND 10TH STS. NO RESTRICTIONS; NOTHING FINER FOR A FIRST-CLASS APARTMENT HOUSE; WILL PAY BIG INTEREST ON INVESTMENT. WOULD ACCEPT AS PART EXCHANGE A BUNGALOW IN PASADENA OR WEST. LOCATED LOTS, BALANCE MORTGAGE.

MINES & FARISH,
SOLE AGENTS,
215 S. HILL ST.

FOR SALE—
VICTOR K. KLEINBERGER CO.

WE CAN DELIVER FOR A FEW DAYS A LOT IN THE SOUTHWEST CUT-OFF JEFFERSON STREET WAY, FOR $350. ALL STREET WORK IS COMPLETED. IN A FINE NEIGHBORHOOD, WHERE THERE ARE MANY ARTISTIC BUNGALOWS. WE WILL SELL THIS LOT FOR $350, ALL CASH, OR IF PURCHASER WILL AGREE TO BUILD WITHIN THIRTY DAYS THEN WE WILL MAKE THE EASY TERMS OF $50 DOWN AND $10 PER MONTH.
YOU CANNOT AFFORD TO OVERLOOK THIS BARGAIN, AS THIS IS ABSOLUTELY THE CHEAPEST LOT IN THE SOUTHWEST.

VICTOR K. KLEINBERGER CO.,
202 H. W. Hellman Bldg.
Phones Home A4539. Sunset Main 2669. 1

FOR SALE—
—LOT FREE FOR MORTGAGE—

You must build a house worth $1000 on this lot worth $1250, and the owner of the lot will take back a mortgage for the price of the lot at 7 per cent. and time as long as you please. Good location; little house on rear of lot helps the worth. This pays your interest. You must act quick.
INTERURBAN LAND CO.,
212 Citizens Nat. Bank Bldg. 1

FOR SALE—
A PICK-UP.
A PICK-UP.
—$975—

For a few days we can sell a 50-foot lot within 200 feet of the park in Vermont Avenue Square, on 48th st., for above sacrifice price.
CONWAY & KESSLER,
405-7 Laughlin Bldg. 1

FOR SALE—$650; A GRAND LOT.
—40x155—
25 full-bearing fruit trees; strong picket fence all around; ½ cash; west part; a real bargain.
J. C. OLIVER,
1 123 Broadway.

FOR SALE—ARE YOU LOOKING FOR A home? Why not go to the foothills; it is the most glorious place to live. We have some elegant homes and places for homes at bargains. Call and let us give you a ride in the foothills. A. SINGER, cor. Ave. 44 and Meridian st.

FOR SALE — $1750 FOR QUICK SALE. Westlake Wilshire blvd. lot; beautiful high and sightly south and east front corner, in Wilshire section. Splendid building site. In Wilshire-Harvard Heights subdivision. See OWNER with E. A. FORRESTER & SONS, 343 Douglas Bldg.

FOR SALE—50-FT. LOT ON W. FOURTH st., close in, for apartments. Also 70x150 on Wurtzel Wilshire blvd., for high class residence district. Price only $3500. 'Phone F5642. N. B. EVERETT, 202 Mason Bldg., corner Fourth and Broadway. 1

FOR SALE—$2500.
50x147, north front, in old part of Vermont Avenue Square, for only $775 and terms; no key lot; better come out and see this. Phones West 2557; residence 18586 E. C. A. WEBBER-HER, 46th and Vermont ave. 1

FOR SALE — TWO FINE LOTS FOR A builder, where values are advancing; will loan money to build with if you desire. Build now, when lumber and materials are cheap. 'Phone A2790. WATSON, 322 L. A. Trust Bldg. 2

FOR SALE—EASY INSTALLMENTS; LOTS in the Highlands, out of the adobe and mud; picturesque location. Take Eagle Rock AVENUE Garvanza (yellow) car on Main st. Go to end of line and see CRITES, MYERS & KULLI.

FOR SALE— Business Property.

FOR SALE—GREAT BIG BARGAIN.
HERE IS AN ACTUAL SACRIFICE SALE. ONLY $7250.
FOR 4 MODERN FLATS IN EXCELLENT CONDITION IN NEIGHBORHOOD OF 11TH AND FIGUEROA STS. RENTED TO EXCELLENT TENANTS. OWNER IN NEED OF CASH AND WILL SELL THIS PROPERTY $1000 LESS THAN ACTUAL CASH VALUE. I HAVE A PARTY WHO WILL PAY $79 A MONTH FOR 6 MONTHS, IN ADVANCE FOR THE PROPERTY. PAYS 6 PER CENT. WE COURT A THOROUGH INVESTIGATION.
CHAS. O. GOODWIN, 209 W. FIRST. 2

FOR SALE—
—SNAP—
—SNAP—

For three days only.

Vermont ave.
Near 48th st.
—60x165—
$1100 cash buys it.
Worth $2000.
CONWAY & KESSLER,
405-7 Laughlin Bldg. 1

FOR SALE—
A REAL SACRIFICE.

85x145 feet, improved with good seven-room house and large barn on Los Angeles street close to Washington. This property is only a short block from Chines Park and there is business all around it now. It can be bought for $6750 and is a bargain. Mortgage $3000 at 6 per cent.

"IT PAYS TO SEE US."
EDWARDS & WINTERS COMPANY,
224 Laughlin Bldg. Main 9207, Home Ex. 767. 1

FOR SALE—A REAL BARGAIN BY A WIDOW in distress; must sell cheap on account of city paving; large business corner; will some one who has cash to buy, take advantage of this offer. Address, giving phone number, H, box 95, TIMES OFFICE. 1

FOR SALE—THE S.W. CORNER E. FIRST and Dacotah sts., 50x150, 1 new store and fine flat overhead; mortgage $2500; see this, and make cash offer for the equity. Full commission to agents. GEORGE W. HAINES, Receiver, 206 Frost Bldg.

FOR SALE—FINE APARTMENT HOUSE SITE, CLOSE IN; PAVED STREET. ON CAR LINE, 100x160 TO ALLEY; PRICE $15,000; TERMS; PRESENT INCOME 6 PER CENT. SEE WILSON, HOME 41433. 1

FOR SALE—227 FT. ON MAIN ST., 3 blocks north of Temple Block, about ½ acre, with S. P. switch, all surrounded by streets; income $125 a month; price $30,000. OWNER, E2113, Main 6620.

FOR SALE — FINE APARTMENT HOUSE; 2-story on west side Bixel, 100 feet south of Maryland, a; a real bargain. Worth $100 a front foot. CALL UP F2580 for inside price. 1

FOR SALE— Business Investment.

WANTED—PARTIES TO INVEST $500 OR MORE IN FIRST-CLASS SAW MILL PROPOSITION ON THE BLYTHE RANCH, RIVERSIDE COUNTY. ADDRESS E, BOX 64, TIMES OFFICE. 1

FOR SALE— Income Property.

FOR SALE—BY OWNER; SICK AND MUST sell at a sacrifice, my income property, almost in city center, between 7th and 8th sts. at price I will take it is paying under secured lease, 10 per cent. net; this is not to be listed by agents; purchaser only. Call up F3385. 2

CONTRACTORS— And Builders.

SECURITY BLDG. CO., 215 HUNTINGTON BLDG.
$100 builds 3-room bungalow.
$200 builds 4-room bungalow.
$400 builds 4-room house, with front and screen porches, porcelain plumbing, painting and staining complete. Lowest bids on all classes of building. Plans according to your taste. We build in country as well as in city. Our office open every evening from 7 to 9. No trouble to show plans and give estimates. SECURITY BLDG. CO., 211 to 216 Huntington Bldg., 6th and Main. Main 8550, F7093. 4

WE QUOTE LOWEST PRICES IN CITY.
We own our own lumber yards.
2 room bungalow, $115; cheaper ones, $85.
4 room bungalow, $215; cheaper ones, $150.
5 room modern bungalow, $465 to $490.
P. J. LEAVER & CO., 216-219 Stanford Bldg., S.E. corner Fourth and Main. Main 2746. 4

BUILD NOW WHILE MATERIALS ARE cheap. We do good work at lowest prices. We make building loans; plans free. HARRIS & CO., 114 W. Third. A7218. 2

I GIVE YOU FULL ADVANTAGE OF LOW prices. Get my figures and see for yourself; 5-room modern, $800 up. SOUTH 4786, or SOUTH 1664.

BLUE PRINT PLANS—
5 rooms, $4. ANGELUS DRAFTING CO., room 217 San Fernando Bldg. Main 2748. 2

FOR SALE— Hotels and Lodging-houses.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—BY
H. C. DECKER, 452½ S. BROADWAY,
'PHONES MAIN 4472, HOME A4252.
WITH 500 BARGAINS.

Flat, 6 rooms, bargain, new	$350
42 rooms, exchange for lots	$5000
10 rooms, price reduced; rent $50	$1250
Hotel, cost $25,000; 100 rooms	$15,000
26 rooms, fine corner, offer wanted	$2100
12 rooms, very good, only	$1000
16 rooms, on Main, only	$400
14 rooms, very good, must sell	$1000
26 rooms, rent $65, clears $100, payments	$1500
11 rooms, boarding house, clears $120	$650
35 rooms, all full, clears $150	$1200
Hotel, 40 rooms, in the country	$3500
Apartment, 48 rooms, lots or property	$2500
16 rooms, one floor, transient, clears $150	$1500
80 rooms, country hotel, can have bar	$8500
Hotel, 84 rooms, clears $900, $5000 cash	$15,000
63 rooms, sold for $5000, will take $700 cash	$1200
Apartment-house on Knob Hill, only	$2000
Apartment-house, exchange for anything	$3500
Apartment-house, 36 rooms, reduced to	$7500
100 rooms, cash payments or exchange	$10,000
22 rooms, Knob Hill, fine view, only	$2100

NEW, GRAND LOCATION, DOWNTOWN; 5 YEARS' LEASE; 26 ROOMS; RENT ONLY $100; PRICE ONLY $1700.

EXCHANGE—APARTMENT-HOUSE, 50 ROOMS. NEW FURNITURE.
NEW PRICE, $3500.
TAKE HOUSE AND LOT, RANCH OR SMALL ROOMING-HOUSE.

APARTMENT-HOUSE, 120 ROOMS; TWO FLOORS; ALL MODERN IMPROVEMENTS. HOUSE AND LOT OR RANCH.

YOUR OPPORTUNITY—GRAND BARGAIN. 45 ROOMS. HOT AND COLD WATER. PRIVATE BATHS. MODERN IN EVERY RESPECT. REASONABLE RENT. CLEARS ABOUT $300. PER MONTH. OWNER DEMANDS IMMEDIATE SALE. PART CAN REMAIN ON EASY PAYMENTS.

PICK UP—18 ROOMS ON MAIN ST. RENT $50. PRICE REDUCED TO $500.

72-ROOM APARTMENT-HOUSE. MUST SELL. FORMER PRICE, $5000. REDUCED TO $3000. PAYMENTS.

MONEY MAKER — 40 ROOMS, MAGNIFICENTLY FURNISHED. HOT AND COLD WATER. STEAM HEAT. BRICK BUILDING IN LOS ANGELES. NEW BRICK BUILDING. NEW FURNITURE. OWNER SICK, MUST GO TO THE COUNTRY. MUST SELL. OFFER WANTED. PART IN PAYMENTS AND REAL ESTATE, CITY OR COUNTRY.
H. C. DECKER, 452½ S. BROADWAY.

FOR SALE—THIS IS A CASE OF GIVING up the rooming-house or the farm, so it is this rooming-house; there is 20 outside rooms, near the new Hamburger store, and it will be sold for $2600; rent $150; this is the best proposition of its kind in Los Angeles; there is a straight loan made on this for the sum of $1600, but it is all clear now and will sell it for $1400. J. C. FLOYD, 215 Mason Opera-house.

FOR SALE — JEFFRIES HOTEL, FURnished; 18-year lease, $1800; modern, new, running water in all 36 rooms; Murray Hotel, 3 years' lease; 25 rooms; rent $210; price $2200; Pendleton, 40 furnished rooms, rent $100 month, $60 E. Fourth; $2200; 18 rooms, 7th and Hill, $900; 99 other exchanges at TRADERS' CORNER, 607 S. Hill.

FOR SALE — APARTMENT HOUSE, 42 rooms, 2 and 3-room suites; private baths, large kitchens and closets; furnished complete, high-grade oak furniture. Income $250 per month. Price $7500; $4000 cash and marketable realty; balance mortgage; easy payments. Address owner, J, box 123, TIMES OFFICE. 1

FOR SALE—LEASE AND FURNISHINGS to those who have looked without avail; here is a rooming-house that will suit the fastidious; 42 rooms, 18 apartments; nothing can compare with it in the city; all outside rooms; private baths; modern, $3700. NORMAN CO., 539 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—HERE IS YOUR CHANCE TO get 7-room house, 201 W. 49th st.; lot 60x135; value $5000, at your own price; will be sold by the Sheriff to the highest bidder at 12 o'clock noon, noon, at the Courthouse. If reasonable bid deed will be given.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE — AT SAN Francisco, 64-room apartment-house, new, modern, elevators, telephones, elegantly furnished; price $6000; want an up-to-date house in Los Angeles, about same price. See MRS. S. E. HEALD, 534 Bumiller Blk., 420 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—FURNITURE AND LEASE, strictly first class modern apartment house, eighteen apartments, forty-two rooms, steam heat, private bath, good garden; $2000 cash with handle. POLK, 321 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

FOR SALE—36 FURNISHED ROOMS, 404½ S. Spring st., rent only $250 month; 3 years' lease; all rooms filled; price $2500; mortgage $1100, payable $50 month; owner will sell, rent or exchange. GEORGE GEIS, 857 S. Hill. 1

FOR SALE—40-ROOM TRANSIENT HOUSE, center of city, $2500, terms, or trade for city or Pasadena.
Also 22-room modern apartment, 7 baths, neat, clean, $750. AETNA, 302 Fay Bldg. 1

FOR SALE— AT VENICE.
Rooming-house with 4 years' lease, every room rented, doing a paying business; price $3000; about $2000 cash; going East in April. Address H, box 172, TIMES OFFICE. 2

FOR SALE—45-ROOM APARTMENT HOUSE, centrally located; good lease, reasonable rent. This is good and worth the money; a money maker, always full, and will pay to investigate. Call 304 S. OLIVE ST.

FOR SALE—FURNITURE OF 5-ROOM FLAT, $150, rent $20. Furniture of 6-room cottage, Figueroa st., close in, $150; rent $20. Options for this week only. HOLT & CO., 412 W. 7th st.

FOR SALE—$750; GREAT BARGAIN. Residence rooming house, 14 rooms; Flower, near Pico; lawns, trees, flowers, fruit. Made a home, paying for itself; terms. PHONE B4598.

FOR SALE—ROOMING-HOUSE, 10 ROOMS, nicely furnished, near Broadway; rent $35; full; rent $35 month; clears $65 month; $400 takes it. Call OWNER, Main 1999. 1

FOR SALE—HOTEL WORTH $2500; MUST go at once; this price, $1150; big snap; $500, balance time. Inquire 304½ S. LOS ANGELES ST., 16 to 12, room 16. 1

FOR SALE—THE BEST TRANSIENT HOUSE in the harbor town; the right party can clear $200 month; price $1000, terms. Inquire 528 S. BROADWAY.

FOR SALE—12 ROOM APARTMENT HOUSE furniture nearly new, come and see, must sell this week. 923 W. 7TH. 1

FOR SALE—FURNITURE AND LEASE OF 14 rooms; in good condition; all full; rent $65. 754 S. LOS ANGELES ST. 1

FOR SALE— Country Property.

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of deep, rich soil on electric car line
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SOMERSET ACRES,
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Park lot on Pacific blvd., $650
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2½-3 ACRES; ½ MILES FROM
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We can give good terms and the price is right;
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You have three years to pay for your land.
The soil grows potatoes, vegetables, tomatoes,
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modern cottage, furnished very neat and
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fruit, orange or alfalfa land, 3 miles from
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Foothill grove, east of Porterville; 16 acres
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A fine 100-acre mountain stock ranch in Tu-
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Price $10,000, want $6000 cash, cottage here
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On West 6th st., east of Union; a good 9-
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bungalow or cottage up to $4500, balance 3
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000.
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20 stores, ranches, in fact all kinds of prop-
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$18,000—Flat building; 14 rooms, close in,
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falfa land near Riverside; mortgage $4000;
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water right. Exchange for property in Los
Angeles, Long Beach, etc.
$10,000—Sixty acres of 8-year-old walnuts;
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$6500—Navel grove at Covina.
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$9000—Navel grove at Upland.
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In Hollywood, a strictly modern 5-room
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Good 6-room house, comfortable but not mod-
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School; price $2500, clear; cut $200 for
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clear, vacant lots in same vicinity; want mod-
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Our client wants Imperial or San Joaquin
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pantry, kitchen, 3 toilets, beautiful bed-
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$1000—W. 20th st. near Union, value $10,000.
$1400—Residence near Main, value $2500.
$1600—Washington st. near Harvard, value $6000.
$2500—Walnut grove, Anaheim; 40 acres; value $20,000.
$2000—Ranch, Covina line, 10 acres, value $5000.
$600—Highland Park, value $2000.
$2100—Bungalow, W. 20th st., value $3000.
$1500—Cottage, Hallidale near W. Adams, value $4000.
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WANTED—MONEY.
$1850—2 years, 10 per cent. net, on fine 10-acre ranch, good new house and barns; value $7500.
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$4000—3 years, 9 per cent. net, on close-in Pasadena business corner, improved with 2-story building, value $15,000; paved street.
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$3000 at 8 per cent. on local stock valued at $50,000.
$16,000 at 8 per cent., security real estate worth $120,000.
$11,000 at 8 per cent., security $90,000 good real estate.
$13,000 at 8 per cent., security $100,000 Long Beach real estate.
$970 at 8 per cent., 2 to 5 years, security $30,000.
$3000 on residence in city worth $8000, at 8 per cent., 3 to 5 years. The above will bear closest investigation. WM. FADEN,
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$10,000—On property worth $28,000.
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$1600—On new residence worth $3600.
$1200—On new cottage, southwest.
$1300—On ranch house, worth $3000.
$1100—On new cottage, worth $2500.
$1400—On new 5-room cottage, worth $3000.
Security absolute. Nothing better.
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WANTED—MONEY.
$3000—3 years, 8 per cent. per annum net interest, payable quarterly, secured by first mortgage on lot irregular in size, but averaging 56 ft. in width by 152, and on the corner of E. Ninth and Tennessee sts., and worth value of $9000, with 8-room, 2-story house and 5-room house, value $1300; total value $12,300.
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$12,000—2 or 3 years, 8 per cent. per annum net, interest payable quarterly, secured by first mortgage on 228 acres near Lamanda Park, Los Angeles county; 11 acres being in lemons, 140 in grapes, 140 in oranges, balance in small fruits and grain; value $175,000, with buildings value $25,000; total value, $150,000.
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$2700—3 years, with privilege paying at end second year; 8 per cent. per annum net interest; secured by first mortgage on lot 50x150 on Girard street near Virginia street; value $4600, with 2-story 8-room house, value $3000; total value $7600.
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WANTED—$1000 EACH, ON 2 LOTS IN Wilshire district, valued at $3500 each. Apply afternoons, 526 GROSSE BLDG. Main 6655.

WANTED—$800 FOR 90 DAYS; WILL PAY $100 for its use and give gilt-edge security; principals only dealt with. Address K, box 12, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED—$2500 FOR 2 YEARS ON FIRST-class improved close-in property worth $9000; 7 per cent. net. DAVID BARRY & CO., 215 Union Trust Bldg. Main 4052, F4052.

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$2000—3 years, 8 per cent., on residence, S. Main, value $4600; will pay $50 bonus. J. J. PHELPS, 235 H. W. Hellman.

WANTED — $1000 LOAN, SIX MONTHS OR one year. Good security. Will pay 1 per cent. monthly.
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$4000—2 years, 7 per cent. net, on close-in Pasadena business corner, improved with 2-story building; value $15,000; paved street.
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For sale—Three trust deeds for the above amounts, interest 7 to 9 per cent. net. They are gilt-edge loans, first mortgages on Los Angeles city improved property. We guarantee them. Better see me early. 'Phone A2790. WATSON, 322 L. A. Trust Bldg.

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HOPELESS.

OLD CONVICT SEEKS PARDON.

Slayer of Woman Here Years Ago Wants Out.

State Has Gained Much by His Ingenuity.

Valuable Secret Must Die With Him in Prison.

Because Convict Charles H. Arthur can't get out of San Quentin Prison, the secret of an important invention probably will be lost to the world.

Arthur is serving a life sentence for murdering a woman on the streets of Los Angeles.

Having made a remarkable invention in the convict shops at San Quentin; he wants to be free to perfect it.

A pardon undoubtedly means to him honors and a fortune. But he can't get the pardon.

The matter has been referred to the local courts and it has been decided to refuse to indorse his petition. They do not believe the State should enter into a swapping transaction with a cruel and wanton murderer.

Arthur has served ten years of his sentence. At the time of the murder he was a little more than 50 years old.

Charles H. Arthur,
serving life term at San Quentin for Pasadena murder, who has made discovery worth millions during his imprisonment and who now seeks parole.

He was a Pasadena blacksmith—a widower with three beautiful daughters. He had some sort of a maudlin love affair with a woman named Melissa Ransom. He had been drinking for some time and got some sort of drunken tragic idea when the woman left him.

SHOOTS WOMAN DOWN.

On the afternoon of January 27, 1898, he followed her to Los Angeles and shot her dead on Broadway, near Fourth street, It was just before noon, when crowds of shoppers were on the street.

The woman had no warning whatever. Arthur slipped up and shot her from behind.

He was considered to be a good enough man at heart, but was half crazy from liquor at the time. He was tried in the Superior Court and convicted of murder, the jury recommending a life sentence.

Arthur was sent to San Quentin and became a model prisoner. He was put to work in the blacksmith shops.

Not long after he arrived there they had trouble with the jute mills. Something was the matter with the spindles on the looms. They wore out. Once worn out, they hardly could be replaced. It is said that no machinery is manufactured in this country hard enough to withstand this friction. The prison always had been forced to send abroad.

Arthur tinkered around in the prison blacksmith shop and hit upon a great secret. He found a way to harden these machinery parts so they would stand the wear.

His invention is in use in the prison and has been for several years. The State has been saved thousands of dollars thereby.

SECRET ALL HIS OWN.

Not a soul in the world, however, knows the old convict's secret, except himself.

He is shrewd enough to try to barter his freedom. Recently, he wrote a rather pathetic letter to the authorities here, asking that his petition to the Board of Pardons be indorsed.

He said that at the time of the murder, he was under the influence of liquor, and didn't know what he was doing. His stay in San Quentin, he says, has cured him of the drink habit and he thinks he should be given his freedom for his few remaining years. He said nothing about his invention in the letter.

The old convict's petition was carefully considered. The decision has been made, however; the indorsement will not be made.

A letter has been written back to Arthur. The courts here, though expressing sympathy for him, stated that his crime was too wanton and too horrible, that he was lucky enough to escape with his neck.

So the old man's secret will probably go down with him to the grave.

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OTHER YEARS.

OLD "MAMMY" HARKS BACK.

Centenarian Tells Story of Her Long Life.

Vivid Picture of Woes and Joys of Slave Days.

Lucy Is Blind, but Her Mind Is Unclouded.

Among the few old slaves still living who have a distinct recollection of the vicissitudes of ante-and post-bellum days, there probably is no more interesting character than old Aunt Lucy Chiviss of Los Angeles, who passed her one-hundredth birthday a few days ago. She is blind and very feeble. She can scarcely walk and spends most of her time sitting in a rocking chair with her pet chicken in her lap. But her mental faculties are remarkably alert. She remembers hundreds of incidents in her life which occurred more than sixty years ago and can quote whole conversations she had with her various "old marsters" on the slave plantations of Kentucky, Mississippi and Texas.

Aunt Lucy's first owner was John Chiviss of Clark county, Kentucky, and she therefore, calls herself Lucy "Chiviss." Of her first "marster" she speaks with a quiver in her voice. He was the best "marster" she ever had she declares, but he had bad luck on a horse race, bet Aunt Lucy, along with a number of other slaves, was transferred to Col. Cassius M. Clay, who won the wager. Clay sold Lucy, then a young girl, to traders who took her down the Mississippi to Natchez, where she was sold in the slave market in Natchez-on-the-Hill. Col. Phil. Hockett bought her and she worked for him until he died, when she fell to his daughter, Mrs. Gerard Brandon, who owned over 1200 negroes. Two years before the Civil War, "Marse Brandon" picked out 648 of his best "niggers" and refugeed them into Texas, where they raised two crops of cotton and sugar cane for him before he was forced by the law to free them.

Afterward, Aunt Lucy worked for herself and her two little grand-children, earning good wages in the cotton fields or in the cook-houses of wealthy planters. She cooked the first meal in the town of Calvert and nursed night and day through the scourge of yellow fever which took away hundreds of the white folks of the town in the early seventies. Later, she drifted to Hearne, Taylor, Austin, San Antonio, and Houston, Tex., then went to Arizona and finally, five years ago, came to Los Angeles. Her only living grand-daughter, Lucy Clayborne, supports the old woman, now at their little cottage, at Fourteenth and Clayborne streets.

STORY OF HER LIFE.

It is impossible to tell Aunt Lucy's story of her life as she tells it. Her narrative is interspersed with quaint expressions, ejaculations and dialect which, to the white person of this day and age, are almost unintelligible. But the substance of the story is this:

Once Lucy's "ole Miss" called her to her and said: "Lucy, your master is talking of hiring some of you colored folks out and you may be one of them. If he does I may never see you again so I want to tell you how old you are and you can always tell the white folks who can figure and they will be able to tell you any time what your age is. Now Lucy remember this is 1834, and on the tenth of this month you will be 26 years old."

It is from this data that Aunt Lucy reckons her age. Of course she cannot count, herself, but she has always treasured this bit of information and whenever she is asked her age she relates this incident and says: "Now, I reckons you kin figger it fer yourself."

When Lucy was sold to the traders, her "marster" and "missis" did not have the heart to tell her so they sent her, after supper, to the store to get a dozen candles. When she got there, the traders were sitting around the room and one of them came forward and "sized her up." Then the trader told her he had hired her and that he had a plantation a few miles from there and would be good to her. He told her he wanted her to go with him that night. Her heart sank within her but she made a strong plea to be allowed to go home to get her clothes. Then the trader told her he had a fine riding mare at home and a fine new saddle and that if she would go along with him, she could ride the mare back to town the next day to get her clothes. This somewhat pacified the colored girl and she got in the wagon with him and they started away.

Lucy's description of the way she sold herself in the slave market at Natchez-on-the-Hill is 'ntensely interesting. She says the men were put on one side of a long passageway, while the women and girls were on the other. The girls were forced to don their best clothes, shoes and white stockings, if they had any; fix up their hair and put on their beads. Then they walked up and down the passageway, that prospective buyers might inspect them. One girl who had been in the slave market several days told Lucy to watch out for "a man with a black seegar hangin' outen the corner his mouth and ridin' a dink-tailed mare." This man, the girl said, was the best "marster" around Natchez, and she would do well if he bought her. So when Lucy saw this man coming, she grinned at him as broadly as she knew how and courtesied to the ground.

Aunt Lucy Chiviss,
former slave, now in Los Angeles, who has just passed her one-hundredth birthday anniversary, and whose clear mind is a wonderful storehouse of events of early days in the South.

"Hallo, gal," said this planter, who turned out to be Col. Phil Hockett. "What can you do?"

"Oh, I 'lows I kin do anything any other gal kin do," responded Lucy, rolling her eyes and showing all her teeth.

"Bet you kaint dance Jim Crow," said Hockett.

"Betcher I kin, and ef I don't, you kin cut my haid off," said Lucy eagerly. "You jest git some of them there niggers ter pat fer me and I'll show you some Jim Crow."

So Lucy danced and the colonel hawhawed and was pleased. Then he said:

"Bet you can't dance a jig now, Lucy."

"You jest watch an' see," said Lucy, and she danced till she was exhausted.

The colonel said: "What else can you do, Lucy?" and she told him she could pick cotton or cut sugar cane or hoe corn or split rails or do anything any nigger could do.

"Can you sew?" asked the colonel.

For answer Lucy showed him her fingers, calloused and torn by innumerable needle-pricks.

"I guess I'll take you along with me," said Col. Hockett, and he went over to the traders and counted out $1600 in cash.

Then Lucy sidled up to her new owner and whispered softly:

"Marster, ef you wus done gone to a strange country and didn't have no folks and nobody you knew, 'cept jest two yaller gals, what'd come all the way from Lexington, Ky., wiv you, wouldn't you want to keep 'em with you?"

"Why, yes, Lucy. Where are they?"

And Lucy, in transports, pointed out two girls from her own neighborhood, and Hockett, who was a kind-hearted man, bought them.

CRUEL DAYS COME.

When the colonel died, Mrs. Brandin, his daughter, became possessed of his slaves. Her husband was a big planter and wealthier than her father had been, and the combined estates made a tremendous plantation, more than a dozen farms in all. Lucy says, on which worked over 1200 negroes.

Conditions were not so pleasant as they had been under the Hockett régime. Brandin himself rarely ever saw any of his negroes, and the entire responsibility of working them, feeding them and caring for them was left to overseers, who often abused their authority and persecuted the helpless slaves brutally. Lucy's back is covered with the scars left by repeated whippings, while she was learning to pick her 500 pounds of cotton a day. Sometimes she was beaten three or four times a week till she would faint from pain and loss of blood. Often she was beaten for stealing the liquor from the meat, which was set aside for the innumerable hounds. The slaves were given a small piece of hog meat and a piece of corn bread for breakfast. At dinner time, they got a little bucketful of greens dipped in meat liquor, served to them in the fields. At night a piece of corn bread was the sole ration for the weary, hungry toilers in the cotton field. The hounds were better fed than the negroes, Aunt Lucy said.

If a negro stole a fence rail, the overseer was likely to order every slave on the plantation to go to the woods, cut down a tree and split it up into rails. To punish one man, the overseer would often send the whole army of slaves to the cotton fields on Sunday, when they were supposed to rest.

FREEDOM AT LAST.

When the war cloud became black and Brandin feared that he would lose all his slaves, he adopted the course followed by many other big planters—refugeed the best of them into Texas, which was not under the American flag. Brandin himself came riding up to the plantation house one morning, ordered the big bell rung to call all the slaves, and then, with tears in his eyes, announced to them that they were free.

Aunt Lucy went to work in the cotton fields at $1 a 100 pounds. Although a grandmother, she was strong and with the aid of her two little grand-daughters, was able to pick 700 pounds a day. Those were halcyon times. Working hard, but singing as they worked, the emancipated negroes were free in the evening to dance and sing or do anything they pleased. Their simple tastes in the way of food and drink and cheap finery they were able to gratify. The store got all they earned on each Saturday night. If Aunt Lucy had $30 or $40, it all went, but she and the little grand-daughters went back home loaded down with their foolish purchases and happier than any king.

CLOSING CHAPTERS.

When Lucy took her grand-daughters to Calvert, the town had not been started. Old Judge Calvert, one of the famous pioneers of Texas, had donated the land for the townsite and in a few days the village began to materialize. Aunt Lucy worked for Mrs. Kizee, who was Judge Calvert's daughter. She cooked the first meal ever cooked in the town.

When the yellow fever epidemic broke out, whole families of white folks died. Mrs. Kizee and her little nephew caught the plague and Aunt Lucy nursed them night and day till they passed away. Then she nursed in several other families, receiving $10 a night and $5 a day.

With the money earned during this time of woe, she moved to San Antonio, and later to Houston. She said she "hoboed" from Benson, Ariz., to Los Angeles, but her grand-daughter remarked: "Noe, don't you print dat. I'm 'shamed of it, if Mammie aint."

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Philadelphia Bank Held $25,000 for Thirty Years While the Owner Served a Prison Sentence—Many Millions of Unredeemed Government Bonds.

The recent announcement that the failed Knickerbocker Trust Company of New York holds $700,000 for which no owners have put in a claim, and of whom no trace can be found, brings other similar instances to mind. The disappearance of owners of deposits is no uncommon thing, as any bank official will admit. In some instances such deposits have, by a change of circumstances, been forgotten; in others their owners have died and left no intimation to their heirs of the location of their property. In many of the States laws have been enacted requiring banking institutions to advertise such funds at stated periods in the expectation that the attention of those to whom they properly belong may thereby come into their own.

In the case of the Mechanics' and Traders' Bank, of Philadelphia, the doors of which were closed recently, there is a record of a payment made some years ago of a large sum, $25,000, and with a corresponding of balancing record upon the ledger showing that this account had been carried for some unknown or mysterious depositor for nearly thirty years.

The officers who are now, in the name of the State, examining the accounts and books of this bank, by chance ran across this item, and having asked an explanation, received one of the strangest in the history of banking in New York.

Some years ago, the ownership of this bank passed into new hands and the choice of president was fixed upon Mr. Thalmessinger. He made microscopic examination of the books, determined to master every detail, present and historic, for the bank had a history dating back to the year 1830. One entry astonished him, and he made immediate visit to his counsel, ex-Judge Dittenhoefer, to whom he reported the circumstance.

He had discovered, he said, that there was a credit upon the books of the Mechanics' and Traders' Bank of $25,000, and that this deposit had remained with the bank for nearly thirty years untouched. No one in the bank knew who the depositor was or even to have heard of him. Judge Dittenhoefer, as counsel, advised Mr. Thalmessinger still to carry the account and not concern himself about it.

Two days later, the bank president again called upon his counsel, and was plainly in much excitement. He stated that a check for the $25,000 had that morning been presented to the bank, and that he had declined to pay it on the ground that he was not satisfied as to the identity of the maker of the check.

The president was advised by Judge Dittenhoefer to permit suit to be brought against him, saying that it would be the better part for the bank to pay that $25,000 on judgemnt than to run the risk of paying it to the wrong person. Suit was speedily brought, and the following facts were disclosed under oath.

A man had been arrested for murder nearly forty years ago. Soon after his arrest $25,000 was deposited in his name, no one knows by whom. He was convicted and sentenced to be hanged, but the sentence was commuted to imprisonment for life. After serving as a life prisoner for thirty years in Sing Sing the man was pardoned. As soon as he reached New York, he drew a check for this money.

The testimony was sustained in the trial, the identity of the man proved, the check was paid, and after that this man disappeared as completely as though swallowed by the earth. The presumption was that with the money he went far away, determined to begin a new life, although then a man past 60 years of age.

There are some stranger incidents even than that occasionally disclosed. Only a day or two ago, some of the officers of the New York Central were pursuing, as they thought, a possible clew that would lead them to the ownership of a block of stock now for sixty years held for a person who cannot be identified. The stock was of the original Hudson River Railroad, issued to a person whose name indicated that the purchaser was a foriegner.

It was a block of some fifty shares. It was afterward absorbed in the general unification of the Hudson River and New York Central. To it was credited its proportionate share of the new traditional 50 per cent. stock dividend. To it also has been credited the various dividends and other perquisites, until today the obligation amounts to something like $10,000.

Search has been made in Europe; what seemed to be clews have been followed up in New Orleans, San Francisco, and South America, but it has been impossible to trace the ownership. The clew, faint as it was, which was thought to have been discovered a few days ago, ended where all the others did, in a fog.

Strange as it may seem, for the last fifty years the government has never been able to pay off all the bonds that have become due. Of every issue of bonds there remain today outstanding bonds amounting from $50,000 to $5,000,000. On many of these the interest has stopped for nearly half a century. The money is lying in the treasury waiting for the owner of the bond, but he never comes. There are many explanations for this curious condition, all of which are, of course, purely theoretical. It is assumed that in many cases the bonds have been owned by misers who never been found. A bond that is lost or burned is easily replaced under the rules of the treasury. There are probably $20,000,000 of outstanding bonds whose owners will not present them for redemption.

The United States 4 per cent. bonds of 1907 came due July 1. Today, although the interest has stopped on all these bonds, there are still $5,733,000 of these bonds outstanding.

MAN STRUCK BY AUTO.

George Link, a gardener, who lives at No. 209 Liberty street, was struck by an automobie at Second street and Los Angeles about midnight. His nose was fractured and his back injured. The chauffeur, who had several persons in the machine, drove away without stopping. After being treated at the Receiving Hospital Link was taken home.

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A brilliant social event was the ball given last night at Hotel Virginia at Long Beach to celebrate the formal opening of the magnificent new hostelry. The elite of society of Pasadena and Los Angeles was present, and the officers of the U. S. S. South Dakota came ashore to take part in the festivities.

One thousand invitations were issued for the affair and special cars were chartered to convey the guests to the beach. Several through cars were run between Pasadena and Long Beach, nearly all of the guests of Hotel Maryland at Pasadena, going down to help celebrate the opening of the newest in the chain of the Linnard hotels.

The corridors of the hotel, transformed into winding greeneries with palms and ferns, were thronged with handsomely gowned women and smartly clad men, while the gorgeous full dress uniforms of the naval officers completed the picture. Thousands of electric lights, their shimmer reflected by the glittering crystals of the electroliers, illuminated the brilliant scene.

The floral decorations were elaborate. Great clusters of roses, rare blossoms of all kinds, and semi-tropic flowers were displayed in abundance. Massive vases of quaint design, draped with ferns and smilax and filled with blooms, were placed about the rooms and the air was fragrant with the perfume of the flowers.

Potted ferns innumerable, ornamented the halls and salons, while the rarest of palms surrounded the pillars or lined the balustrades. The decorations throughout were a triumph of the florist's art.

At either side of the main entrance were stacks of fine oranges, laid out in inviting array for all who cared to take them. Bell boys were placed in attendance to see that the supply did not run short, and at frequent intervals a fresh lot was brought out to keep the stacks from being depleted.

BEAUTIFUL DECORATIONS.

The decorations in all the rooms were carried out with great care. The architecture and furnishings of each apartment were taken into consideration and the garnishments served rather to accentuate the decorative schemes rather than to hide them. Thousands of cut palms and ferns were used.

The entrance to the dining-room was converted into a sylvan bower. From electroller and pillar swung ropes of green.

In the ball room the chandeliers were draped with festoons of green, while the lights were masked by clusters of fern and smilax. The result was a soft glow over all, adding greatly to the beauty of the picture.

The ball room is one of the glories of Hotel Virginia. Gorgeous in decoration, yet harmonious in every particular, with floor as smooth as polished glass, and brilliantly illuminated by a score of beautiful electroliers, the hall is the show place of the great building.

Not alone were the cities of the Pacific Coast well represented among the guests. Many easterners timed their western trips to fit the programme, and New York, Philadelphia, Boston and Chicago were well represented.

To the eastern visitors, paying their first visit to California, the event was doubly interesting. Fresh from their homes in less favored climes, with memories of blizzards and snow storms still vividly in mind, the sight was novel.

Throughout the afternoon the surf was alive with bathers, the crowds on the beach and promenades clad in summer attire. On every hand were reminders of the balmy climate of California, and the decorations and other arrangements at the big hotel were well calculated to accentuate them.

AFTERNOON RECEPTION.

The festivities were opened with an informal reception in the afternoon. The hotel was thrown open for the inspection of the guests, every one being invited to visit every part of the building.

Soon the novelty of sightseeing wore off and the visitors congregated in groups in the corridors and on the verandas. Impromptu tea parties were held and a general pleasant time enjoyed.

At 5:30 o'clock the word was passed around that the U.S.S. South Dakota, which was scheduled to be on hand for the evening's festivities, was approaching. Instantly the corridors were deserted and the guests gathered on the wide verandas, overlooking the ocean, to watch the ship come in.

The sun reflected from her white sides and smoke pouring from all four funnels, the stately vessel approached the shore. Not until she was almost within hailing distance did she change her course. Then, with the grace of a swan, she turned her bow to port, ran up a string of signal flags and let go her anchor.

A few minutes later the sound of a bugle came floating over the water, a gun boomed out, and the Stars and Stripes came fluttering to the deck. As the echoes of the shot died away in the distance a launch put out from the starboard side of the ship and brought the first party of officers ashore.

Had the programme been timed by the clock the arrival of the warship could not have been more spectacular, and a round of applause greeted the sound of the sunset gun.

The dining-room was thrown open for the first time at 6:30 o'clock. Though the room has a capacity of 600, it proved inadequate to the demands made upon it and a second service was required in order to accommodate all the guests. Every one was too well satisfied with the entertainment to chafe at the delay, however, and the halls were gay with laughter.

After dinner the guests retired to the veranda, where, overlooking the sea and within hearing of the breakers, coffee was served. The orchestra was stationed in the central hall and entertained the guests with a concert.

It was not until 9 o'clock that the chief festivities began. By that time the greater number of the guests had arrived and the signal was given to lead the way to the ball room.

MAGNIFICENT SCENE.

As the procession started there was a general air of expectancy and at the first view of the beautifully-decorated salon there was a subdued murmur of admiration and pleasure. Every incandescent light in the great hall was turned on, and, in spite of the heavy banks of green, the room was made as light as day.

As the notes of the first waltz broke forth there was a slight pause, then a couple ventured onto the floor. The spell was broken and in an instant the expansive floor was filled with dancers.

The sound of the rolling breakers, softened by the distance, seemed to beat time to the music. The swaying, circling throng of dancers was brilliant with color. The women in their Paris ball gowns, their civilian escorts in somber black, and the naval officers in blue and gold, their coat sleeves stiff with gold lace, completed the illusion of a fairy dance on a magic isle.

The balmy sea air, drifting in through open windows and doors, made dancing a pleasure and every number was heartily encored. The musicians were given but little time for rest and it was not until a late hour that the last extra came to a close and the gathering began to disband.

The opening of the Virgina was a decided social success. Everything conspired to add to the enjoyment of the guests. The weather was ideal. At no time during the evening did it grow cool enough to make the verandas uncomfortable and the sheltered nooks were eagerly sought between dances.

The South Dakota, anchored but a short distance off shore, was ablaze with lights, and from time to time the soft notes of the bugle calls came drifting in over the waves. Gracefully riding at anchor, the massive outlines of the great ship were plainly visible, while the myriad of little boats, dancing about on the waves, completed the picture.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Linnard acted as hosts. They were assisted in caring for the guests by Manager Anderson of the Leighton of this city, and Manager Dame of the Maryland of Pasadena.

EMPRESS OF GERMANY HONORS MRS. TOWER.

Latest photographs of Emperor and Empress of Germany.

BERLIN, March 31.—It is a very rare occasion indeed when the Empress of Germany dines anywhere outside the palace, but she made an exception in order to do honor to Mrs. Charlemagne Tower, wife of the retiring American Ambassador.

At 8 o'clock the Empress and Emperor arrived at the Ambassador's home in the Konigsplatz, next to the Reichstag, one of the best adopted houses for entertaining in the German capital. They were received at the foot of the grand flower staircase, by the Ambassador and Mrs. Tower and conducted upstairs, the Emperor offering his arm to Mrs. Tower and the Ambassador offering his arm to the Empress.

The other guests were the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs and Frau von Schoen, the Minister of Marine and Frau von Tirpitz, General Aide de Camp Von Plessen, Baron von Dem Knesebeck, master of ceremonies; Herr von Sydow, Minister of Finance; Countess von Brockdorff, mistress of robes, and the countess von Rantzau, maid of honor.

The presence of the imperial couple was intended as a special personal compliment to the Ambassador and his wife, this being probably the last time an opportunity would be afforded, for Berlin's season is rapidly breaking up. It was further meant by the Kaiser as a particular tribute due to his well-known fondness for Americans. It was also his personal desire that there should be as many representatives of the United States present as possible.

This accounts for the unusually large number of Americans who attended the dinner. Four of them made considerable journeys for the purpose. The floral decorations of the table and house were very elaborate. A military band played during the sojourn of their Majesties.

BIG STICK IS NEEDED.

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in a curt note by Minister Bowen to General Ybarra, the Venezuelan Minister of Foreign Affairs at that time, has already appeared in the Venezuelan "Yellow Book" in Spanish, from which it has been retranslated into English, giving a very clear idea of the controversy.

The American government now demands:

First—Indemnity in the sum of $25,000 for the expulsion from Venezuela of A. F. Jaurett, a Frenchman by birth, holding American naturalization papers.

Second—An arbitration at The Hague, unless another tribunal should be agreed upon, for the purpose of determining these facts: Whether the contract rights of the Orinoco Corporation have been destroyed or the value of its concession injured by alleged unjust acts of the Venezuelan government; whether loss has been caused to the Manoa Company, Limited; to the Orinoco Company, Limited, and the Orinoco Corporation, or to any of them, while they have been in partial or entire possession, or constructively in possession, of rights under the so-called Fitzgerald concession; to fix the damages arising to the present holders of the Fitzgerald concession from alleged acts of opposition or usurpation by the Venezuelan government.

Third—The reopening and resubmission to a new arbitration of the entire claim of the Orinoco Steamship Company, operating as cessionaire and successor under the Grell concession, the case having already been submitted to an arbitration and an award made by the American-Venezuelan mixed commission.

Fourth—An international arbitration to investigate the alleged rights of the New York and Bermudez Company, operating under the Hamilton concession, and to establish the sum of its losses, in consequence of alleged denial of justice to the company in civil actions. (The American government in its diplomatic correspondence does not mention the revolutionary activities of the Asphalt Trust or the $5,000,000 fine assessed on it by Venezuela for injuries arising out of the Matos rebellion.)

Fifth—That the Venezuelan government shall withdraw its opposition to the alleged rights of the United States and Venezuela Company, an asphalt concern, to carry on its business in accordance with the terms of the Guzman concession acquired by George W. Critchfield, or, second, that the rights of the company shall be determined and the damages fixed by an arbitration.

STRENGTH OF MAN.

Loads Carried by Hindoo Coolies Compared With the Limited Loads of Unionites.

Mr. Benson of the London Times, in his extremely interesting account of the Younghusband expedition into Thibet, gives some remarkable facts about the carrying power of the men who were employed to do the heavy work of the journey.

The character of the mountain country placed all transportation on the individual unit. Thousands of coolies were used. The pay was per pound, and the average load was eighty to ninety pounds to the man. Some, however, carried double, and even three times the average, in order to earn extra compensation.

Mr. Benson tells of one Hindoo coolie who carried a piece of machinery weighing 575 pounds up the mountain slope, making his way from boulder to boulder with this almost incredible load upon his back.

"By contrast, Mr. Benson calls attention to the fact that the English trade unions will not allow a workman to carry a load of more than fourteen pounds. If his tools or the material weigh more than that he must have a helper.

"It may well be asked if this kind of civilization is going to work favorably to the proper development of the individual. The man with his plain food and the full exercise of his muscle will be apt to produce sturdier stock than the one who is limited by rules that would seem too mild for children. There is no intention of comparing coolie and skilled labor, but there is a very nice question of influence upon the right progress of the race."—[Baltimore American.

WOODEN COLLAR BUTTONS.

Made by the Millions Without the Touch of Human Hand in the Process.

Collar buttons are made not only of various metals but also and in great numbers of wood.

Round sticks of wood are fed into machines which turn the buttons and cut them off automatically. Taken from the turning machines the collar buttons thus made are placed, thousands of them at once, in a barrel shaped receptacle containing japan varnish, in which they are rolled and tumbled until each is completely coated.

To be dried they are placed, thousands at a time, in a similar drying apparatus in which they are rolled and tumbled again, to keep them from sticking together, until they are thoroughly dry; and then there are the finished buttons, which have never been touched by hand.

These collar buttons of wood are sold to dealers in laundry supplies and to manufacturers of shirt waists. Altogether the number used for these purposes is enormous, amounting to many millions annually.

Wooden collar buttons are one of the minor products of factories making a specialty of turned-wood goods.

STRIKERS ARE COWED.

WASHINGTON, March 31.—Imminence of violence by the striking miners at the Treadwell (Alaska) mines seems to have been averted by the arrival of the troops ordered there last week.

The War Department today received a dispatch from Capt. James Bayliss, commanding Company F of the Tenth Infantry, reporting his arrival with his men and adding that everything was quiet.

Notice of Ten Per Cent. Cut.

PAWTUCKET (R. I.) March 31.—Notices have been posted in the thread mills of J. & P. Coats, Limited, announcing a 10 per cent. reduction of wages to take effect April 13. About 2500 hands are employed in the mills.

One Cause for the Stringency.

"The little coast town of Sapri, in Basilicata, is now largely composed of pretentious houses, built by returned emigrants, who are commonly called 'Americans' in their native districts."

This statement appears in consular report on the trade of South Italy in 1907, issued last night. The report adds that the fortunes brought back by returning emigrants stimulate others to follow their example.—[London Express.

Crocheted Tam-O'Shanter.

Material, one hank of worsted, any colors desired, medium sized hook.

Chain three, join, fill with ten single crochet stitches.

Second row, two stitches in every one.

Third row, two stitches in every other one.

Increase at intervals enought to keep the work flat, making the top as large as desired, about nine inches in diameter, and work the last five rows plain.

Decrease one every tenth stitch; continue to decrease slowly, by skipping a stitch, keeping it even with top leaving about eighteen or more for the head.

Finish with a band of eight plain rows

Add a large flat pompon.

UNPARALLELED.

WEALTHIEST WORLD NATION.

Important Financial Position of United States.

Over a Thousand Dollars Per Capita Last Year.

Almost Doubled in the Past Thirty-seven Years.

Maj. Alfred R. Quaiffe, vault clerk of the United States treasury at Washington, gives William E. Curtis of the Chicago Record-Herald some very interesting figures regarding the great increase of our national wealth. The total in 1870 was $30,068,518,000. The estimated total today, based upon the census reports and information received by the Agricultural Department, the Secretary of the Treasury and the Comptroller of the Currency, is $107,104,211,917.

The wealth per capita of citizens of the United States, based upon similar estimates, has increased from $779.83 in 1870 to $1,310.11 in 1907, which makes the United States, with its enormous population, the richest country in the world.

The money in circulation has increased four-fold since Maj. Quaiffe came into the treasury. The total in 1870 was $675,212,794, while on January 30, 1907, it was $2,914,342,256. The circulation per capita has almost doubled, notwithstanding the present money famine, and has increased from $17.50 to $32.86 during the last forty-two years.

When Maj. Quaiffe came into the cash-room, we had only $25,000,000 in gold; today we have $754,665,869 in gold coin in the treasury alone, not counting that in circulation and hoarded away.

Uncle Sam's working capital on December 14, 1907, amounted to $1,756,491,464.31—all of which is hard cash. Of this amount $1,232,705,869, in coin, is held on deposit to secure the payment of $756,665,869 gold certificates, $471,525,000 silver certificates, and $5,515,000 treasury notes outstanding. The treasury reserve, which is kept by law, amounts to $150,000,000. The cash balance available to pay the current expenses of the government on December 14 was $259,762,309.65.

Uncle Sam does not keep all of his money in Washington, although there is a good deal of it here. The remainder is scattered among the different subtreasuries, mints and national bank depositories, as follows:

Treasury, Washington	$175,971,844.79
Subtreasury, New York	270,633,997.97
Subtreasury, Baltimore	16,027,023.41
Subtreasury, Philadelphia	13,868,628.60
Subtreasury, Boston	19,928,274.90
Subtreasury, Cincinnati	12,417,842.59
Subtreasury, Chicago	5,053,905.72
Subtreasury, St. Louis	18,000,962.40
Subtreasury, New Orleans	23,659,620.89
Subtreasury, San Francisco	32,430,693.79
Mint, Philadelphia	354,178,511.72
Mint, Denver	68,270,307.19
Mint, New Orleans	22,382,271.16
Mint, San Francisco	322,463,714.39
Assay office, New York	79,865,225.27
National banks	246,284,455.49
Treasury, Philippine Islands	5,736,309.59
In transit between offices	496,788.45

In addition to the working balance and the reserve, there is a total of $811,736,128 in bonds in the vaults at Washington, of which $633,535,970 is to secure circulation of national banks and $178,200,158 to secure deposits in national banks. An additional sum of $103,751,389 is deposited for similar purposes in the subtreasuries of New York and San Francisco, making a total of $915,487,517 of other people's money in Uncle Sam's charge.

Maj. Quaiffe, as vault clerk, has the custody of the different kinds of money issued by the government and has in charge an average daily cash balance of about one hundred and seventy millions of dollars. Last year about eighty-five millions was paid in cash over the counter of the Treasury cash-room, but the greater part of the money issued was shipped by express to the banks and subtreasuries in different parts of the country.

During the forty-two years since he came into the Treasury, Maj. Quaiffe has paid out more than seven billions of dollars, and not one penny has ever been lost. The largest check that was ever drawn against the Treasury was for the purchase of the French interest in the Panama Canal, and represented the sum of forty million dollars—probably the largest amount of money ever represented by a single piece of paper in the world. The largest check ever drawn on the Bank of England was for five million dollars. A check for twenty million dollars was drawn in 1899 to pay for the Philippine Islands, and the third largest ever drawn against Uncle Sam's account was for fifteen millions.

"The growth of business in the Treasury," said Maj. Quaiffe, "is illustrated by the cash balance reports which I have always kept. They show for the fiscal year 1884-5 a total of $165,730,856. Ten years later, for the fiscal year 1894-5, the total was $241,698,596, while in the fiscal year 1906-7 a total of $711,459,279.52 actual money was paid out of the cash-room. A similar growth has occurred in all branches of the Treasury Department. The payments for the past four months aggregate $305,000,000, an increase of $65,000,000 over the same period during the last fiscal year, an average of $2,500,000 a day. The principal payments are made in paper money—United States notes, gold and silver certificates, all of which are originally issued from the Washington office, and are shipped to assistant treasurers throughout the country and to banks and others in redemption of old moneys sent here to be canceled and destroyed. Very little silver and gold coin is used in Washington, as compared with many parts of the country, because clean, crisp paper money can be easily obtained at the Treasury Department, while, at a distance, paper money is made to serve to the last stages of wear and dilapidation.

"The bureau of engraving and printing," continued Maj. Quaiffe, "is now furnishing us daily 180 packages, each containing 4000 notes—$1, $2, $5, $10 and $20 notes, or 720,000 notes. When they were received they are put in the reserve vaults to dry out so that the ink may be thoroughly absorbed by the paper. When these notes are needed the seal of the government is printed upon them in a room adjoining the vaults, where they are cut and trimmed and put up in packages for daily distribution. These do not include national bank notes, which are sent out to the banks in sheets of four notes by the Comptroller of the Currency, and must be cut apart and signed by the officers of the banks. The paper money of the government bears facsimile engraved signatures of the Treasurer of the United States and the Register of the Treasury, it being obviously impossible to sign 720,000 notes daily.

"The paper money is put up in eight-inch cubic packages, each containing 4000 notes, and the value of the package ranges from $4000 to $40,000,000, according to the denominations of the notes, which vary from $1 up to $10,000 each.

"The cash vault is lined with iron shelves protected by wire sliding doors, and has a light iron gallery around it on all sides. The vault is built of chilled iron and steel plates. It has two distinct combination-lock doors, each door with two locks, and the outer door has in addition a time lock, which prevents it from being opened outside of office hours. The cashier of the treasury has the combination of the inside door and the vault clerk the combination for the outside doors of the vaults, so that they cannot be opened by either official without the presence of the other.

"A complete record of every transaction is kept," continued Maj. Quaiffe. "It is the outgrowth of the experience of many years, and many minds, so that not a single cent can go astray without being missed and traced to the very individual responsible for its loss."

The Hat Harmonious.

That harmony of color has its effect on the nerves is the theory followed by a milliner in this city.

"Take a well appointed table, for instance, with its soft shaded candle light," she says in explaining certain hats. "It pleases the eye, relaxes the nerves and one forgets under its spell the brutality of feeling.

"An unshaded clear white electric light is enough ot take away the appetite from even the hungriest man. It is like eating under an X-ray.

"Take the soft rose lights of the dining-room of the Carleton in London, for instance. I mention it because it is the most perfectly harmonious room as to coloring that I know of anywhere.

"The women look pretty, the men handsome and distinguished and one does not have to resort to the vulgar cocktail to see the rosy side of life. The pink shade answers the purpose quite as well and saves the digestion.

"America has much to learn on this subject. Most of its hotels and places of amusement are most unbecomingly treated. And I maintain that one reason American women wrinkle so soon is that they have to face such strong lights.

"There is no vibration in black, and yet it is the favorite apparel of the multitude. We are overrun with blackbirds; sometimes they vary it with a dash of white; then they become magpies.

"I designed a hat the other day for a most interesting woman, a Buddhist. It was like weaving a Persian rug. The materials were all in half tones and so becoming.

"I do not sacrifice the individuality of my clients either, to my creations, but study the lines and contours of the head, the face and figure, and match the tones, that have the proper color vibration to suit the hair and the eyes.

"Only in this way can one expect results which are altogether happy and distinctive. There is no mystery in it at all, only common sense, as you I am sure, will agree, once you have thought it out."—[New York Sun.

A Useful Powder Puff.

A very useful powder puff is made in the following way:

Cut a circular piece of flowered silk, run a casing near the edge and thread with ribbon.

In the very center attach a small round puff that may be bought anywhere.

Powder sprinkled on this now and then is all that is necessary, and the puff is washable.

When the ribbons are drawn up you have a pretty little bag to be tucked in the opera bag or coat pocket, and the puff is protected from all dust and dirt.

A Frill for Chops.

If you like to serve your lamb or mutton chops with frills on the bones, a simple frill of paper can be made from a strip of white unruled paper twelve inches long and four wide. Fold the paper lengthwise, holding the doubled edge toward you, and with small scissors snip the folded edge to the depth of an inch into fine fringe. Wind the frill in a spiral around a thick lead pencil and fasten the ends with photographers' paste or mucilage. When dry the frills can be slipped off the pencil and are ready to encircle the bone.—[Exchange.

Mint Jelly for Roasts.

Wash one cupful of fresh mint leaves. Pour over them a half pint of boiling water, cover closely and let stand for half an hour, then strain, pressing hard. Boil together for three minutes a cupful of water and a half cupful of sugar. Add to it one-third of a package of granulated gelatin soaked in three tablespoonfuls of cold water, take from the fire, stir until dissolved, add the mint water and four tablespoonfuls of lemon juice and pour into molds.—[Circle.

Unlimited Water For Beaumont

Test Well Discloses Vast Water Area

45 Inches of Water Flowing Over the Weir During the Recent Test of Well No. 1

(From the Los Angeles Herald, Sunday Morning, March 29, 1908.)

"The extremely satisfactory test of a large ten-inch well on the lands of the Beaumont Land and Water Company, three miles north of the townsite, made this week, has proved to the satisfaction of the best water experts in the State that sufficient water will be developed to make Beaumont one of the best irrigated sections in Southern California.

"The well in question is known as No. 1, is ten inches in diameter and is situated in Edgar Canyon, about three miles due north of the Beaumont depot. It was drilled by a Los Angeles man and the test was made under the direction of Water Expert Carpenter of this city. The test showed forty-five inches strong, flowing over the weir. So great was the pressure that when the cap was removed from the casing the water spouted for over thirty feet in the air. No sooner had the testing pump stopped than the water rose seventy-five feet in one minute, giving ample indication of the underground formation.

"Added to the great importance of the test itself is the fact that the well has been drilled in an area of great extent, wherein tes' pits for 300 feet to the sides and for a quarter of a mile north and south have revealed the fact that water is standing within seven feet of the furnace. This area presents a fertile field for the sinking of other wells, and it is the intention of the company to immediately install another drilling rig and sink a series of wells, to be pumped by a central pumping station, thus affording economical operation and maximum production. The area in qpestion, in which these wells will be sunk, has a back of over fifteen miles, extending up into the foothills of Mount San Gorgonio and Grayback, where snows for seven months in the year mantle the summits and provide for the extensive and trustworthy conservation of moisture.

Great Watershed.

"This great watershed insures the fact that the saturated area between the mountains and the line of the Beaumont Land and Water Company's property is of inexhaustible extent and the high elevation from which the water arises accounts for the strong pressure existing in the wells, further proof the said pressure being evidenced by the continual surface flow from cienegas of great extent that exist at various points in the bed of Edgar Canyon on the property of the Beaumont Land and Water Company.

"All Beaumont is rejoicing over the news of the well test. The spirit of optimism reigns as never before, land values are rising and everybody predicts that from now on the growth of the town and the valley will be even more rapid than the phenomenal growth that has taken place during the past six months.

"Every day sees more settlers coming into Beaumont with their household goods, farming implements and stock ready to start the cultivation of lands and the erection of homes. The townsite presents a scene of unexampled activity, with houses rising over an area of over 1600 acres, plow teams busily at work and everywhere the welcome sound of the carpenter's hammer driving new structures up into tangible form."

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$150 Per Acre and Up With Water

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Come and bring your friends.

Excursions Thursday and Sunday.

Dont forget that PRICES ADVANCE APRIL 24.

Come in and make your arrangements to go. Out-of-town parties will please write for particulars or mail in the appended coupon.

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226 Mercantile Place, Los Angeles, Cal.

Please send me literature free regarding Beaumont, and the fruit land in same. Also state rates you make from here.

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Wednesday, April 1, 10:30 a.m. at 314 West Pico St. Desirable furniture of 9 rooms, dressers, commodes, chiffoniers, toilet sets, enameled bedsteads, springs, mattresses, bedding, pillows, extension and kitchen tables, chairs, rockers, wardrobes, sanitary and other cots, curtains, writing desk, gas range, gas plates, glassware, dishes, cooking utensils. Sale positive, owner leaving city. Dealers and public invited. R. N. KEMP & CO., Auctioneers, office 410 Bryson Bldg. Phones A4306, Main 8825.

Lega'.

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS No. 3, for the County of Philadelphia, State of Pennsylvania, of March Term, 1907, No. 256, in divorce, Charles Wright vs. Eliza Wright.

To Eliza Wright, the above respondent.

Please take notice that I have been appointed master in the above cause, which is an action brought against you by your husband, Charles Wright, for an absolute divorce on the ground of adultery.

I will hold a meeting for the purpose of my appointment on Friday, May 1st, 1908, at 3 p.m. in my office, 636 Mutual Life Building, 1011 Chestnut Street, in the City of Philadelphia, when and where you may appear with your witnesses and testify. H. W. MOORE, Master.

Auctions.

Auction

Wednesday, April 1st.

10 a. m. and 2 p. m.

830-32 South Main Street

Two large consignments of furniture and carpets for positive sale, consisting of 1 fine upright piano, enameled iron and brass beds, springs, mattresses, bedding, quartered oak birdseye maple and curly birch dressers and chiffoniers, china closets, and wicker rockers and easy chairs, mirror front wardrobe, ladies' desks, library tables, center stands, oval and square extension tables, dining chairs, china closets, buffets, sideboards, couches, bookcases, cabinet and upright folding beds, mahogany parlor cabinet, lace curtains, portieres, clocks, hall trees, combination bookcase and desk, dishes, fine silk, wool, 17 pieces tailor suitings in suit patterns, silverware, body Brussels, velvet, Axminster, tapestry and ingrain carpets and art squares, rugs, office safe, roll top desks, pictures, steel range, coal stove, gas ranges, heaters, kitchen tables, utensils, 1 two-seated canopy top rubber tired surrey and 1 rubber tired top buggy, both in good condition, etc., etc. Everything for the home at your own price. Seats for ladies.

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These goods originally cost $14,000, and are all first-class.

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830-32 S. Main St.,

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Consisting in part of odd dressers and commodes, center stands, rockers and chairs, springs, mattresses, bedding, wardrobes, folding beds, couches, gas ranges, gas plates, kitchen tables, utensils etc., etc. All must be sold on this date to satisfy mortgage.

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Auction

903 South Hill Street,
Friday, April 3, 2 P. M.

Desirable furnishings of a 10-room residence, consisting of oak and maple dressers and commodes, enameled iron and brass beds, springs, mattresses, all bedding, rockers and chairs, wardrobe couches, center stands, hall tree, lace curtains, portieres, Axminster, body Brussels and ingrain carpets and art squares, hall and stair carpets, dishes, gas range, gas plates, kitchen tables, linoleum, utensils, etc., etc. Remember this sale takes place at 2 p.m.

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223 S. Grand, April 1, 1908, at 10 a.m. 10 rooms of furniture consisting in part, of fine dressers, commodes, iron beds, springs, mattresses, bedding, pillows, rugs and carpets, chairs, rockers, center tables, extension tables, toilet sets, sanitary couches, couch pads, wardrobes, couches, hall and stair carpets, lace curtains portieres, gas range and plate, dishes, cooking utensils, and many other goods too numerous to mention. Sale positive. No reserve or limit.

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10 a. m. and 2 p. m.
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Auction

Grand, April 1, 1908, at 10 a. m. of furniture consisting in part of dressers, commodes, iron beds, mattresses, bedding, pillows, carpets, chairs, rockers, center and extension tables, toilet sets, couches, couch pads, wardrobes, hall and stair carpets, lace curtains, portieres, gas range and plate, cooking utensils, and many other articles too numerous to mention. Sale positive. No reserve or limit.
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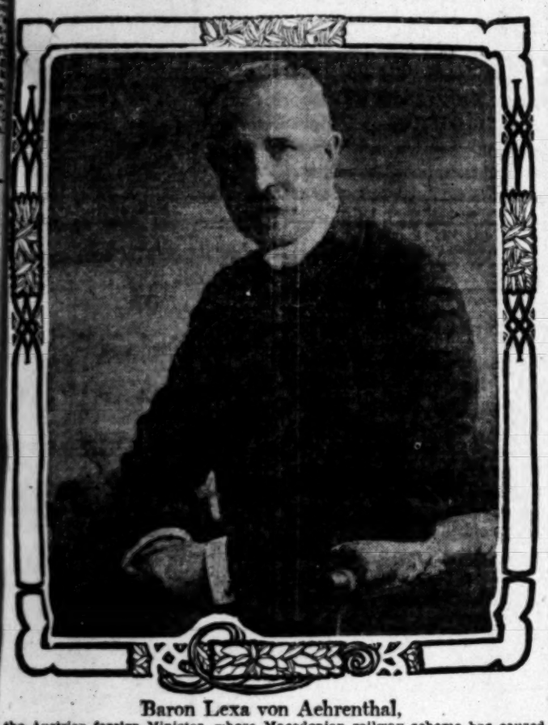
IN THE LIMELIGHT.

MAN WHO REVIVED BALKAN QUESTION.

Personality of Baron Lexa von Aehrenthal, Austria's Foreign Minister—Is Hard Working Official, but Deficient in Statesmanship.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]



Baron Lexa von Aehrenthal,
the Austrian foreign Minister, whose Macedonian railway scheme has caused dissension among the European powers.

VIENNA, March 7.—During all the excitement of the latest political upheaval in Balkan affairs no single personage has been more talked of than Baron Aehrenthal, the Austrian Foreign Minister. He is regarded as the author of all the trouble. Whether he failed to foresee that his railway scheme in Macedonia was going to upset all the powers, or whether, foreseeing it clearly, he deliberately followed out his policy, are questions which nobody seems able to answer just yet. The one thing clear and certain is that that most astute of all diplomatists, His Majesty the Sultan, has scored again. At a moment when the powers were pressing him uncomfortably hard upon the reforms in Macedonia, by simply granting with too great promptness the request of Austria-Hungary to be allowed to make a survey for a new railway to Mitrowitza, Abdul Hamid has succeeded in setting them by the ears and securing for himself a rest in the matter of the Macedonian reforms.

Baron Lexa von Aehrenthal, Minister of the Imperial and Royal Household and for Foreign Affairs of Austria-Hungary, is the second in order of precedence of all the subjects of the Emperor Francis Joseph—that is, outside of the members of the imperial family and two or three cardinal-archbishops, who, as princes of the church, rank with the archdukes and archduchesses. Immediately after these comes Prince Rudolph Liechtenstein, first court chamberlain of the Emperor, and next the Foreign Minister. It is difficult to estimate just how much this post is worth in actual cash, but it is probably something over $10,000 a year, besides allowances for entertaining and two residences.

Baron Aehrenthal draws three separate salaries—one as Minister of the Imperial and Royal Household; another as Foreign Minister, and a third as president of the Council of Common Ministers of the Monarchy. During the winter months he occupies the magnificent state apartments in the Foreign Office, a large and handsome building in the Ballplatz, built by the Empress Maria Theresa, and in the summer he has a charming, roomy villa, just inside the park gates at Schoenbrunn, where the Emperor lives most of the year. In either home he is close to his imperial master, for the Foreign Office is only just across the street from the Hofburg.

Baron Aehrenthal's ancestry is less distinguished than that of most of his predecessors. His grandfather was a certain Lexa, a Bohemian of Jewish extraction who, rendering some financial assistance to the government, was ennobled. The Baron married a daughter of Count Julius Szechenyi, formerly Hungarian Minister at the Vienna Court, and uncle of Count Laszlo Szechenyi, who recently married Miss Gladys Vanderbilt. Personally, he makes a very pleasant impression. He is tall and stoops slightly, his hair is nearly white, and he wears a sort of goatee and moustache. He is about fifty-five years of age. He has agreeable manners, and is an excellent linguist, speaking English fluently. He works very hard, albeit he is a bureaucrat.

If the truth must be told, it is to be feared that Baron Aehrenthal has not been a shining success as a Foreign Minister. As a diplomat he always enjoyed a considerable reputation, and for years before he came from the Embassy at St. Petersburg he was looked upon as the successor of Count Goluchowski at the Ballplatz. He had spent twenty-five years in the foreign office, and his other diplomatic experience was almost entirely obtained in Russia. He came to Vienna to succeed Goluchowski less than two years ago, and great things were hoped from him. The diplomatic corps welcomed him as a statesman, but they were speedily disappointed. Goluchowski was a lazy, clever man. Aehrenthal is industrious, but not clever. He has a baffling manner, very calm and self-possessed, but the diplomats who speak with him can never tell what impression they are making. One Ambassador described him as an anvil of wood from which it was impossible to strike sparks.

There will probably be a new Foreign Minister soon. Aehrenthal is thought to have made a hash of the Macedonian railway business, and the Emperor is reported to be greatly dis-

Francis Joseph is looking for peace and quiet, and has no desire to throw bombs of the Sandjak railway order into the chancelleries of Europe. Of course, Aehrenthal will not go at once, but that the announcement of his appointment to an Embassy somewhere or other will be made in the course of the next three or four months is generally believed in diplomatic circles.

Jimmy James's Birth Record.

Senator Gore of Oklahoma, in illustration of one of his points in a recent speech, told a story of the James family of Jamestown, Va., who since the foundation of that historic city have been accustomed to have all births and deaths in the James family recorded in the city register.

A few years ago Thomas James got married, and, after a honeymoon of eighteen months abroad, returned home with little Jimmie James as one of the most valuable acquisitions of their foreign trip.

As was the long-standing custom of the family, the proud parents wanted Jimmie's birth recorded in the city register, but the city clerk politely informed them that it would be impossible to oblige them, since the child was born not only out of the city, but in another land.

After much exhortation and influence brought to bear, the official, however, promised to do the best he could, and wrote the following in the register: "Jimmie James, born February 28, 1905, during the temporary absence of his parents."

WANTED—A SOLOMON.

MILADY'S GOWNS ARE EXPENSIVE.

COURT MUST DECIDE IF $20,000 IS REASONABLE.

Howard Gould Sued by Dressmaker for Price of Wardrobe Furnished His Wife in Nine Months—He Refuses Payment Because Better Half Had Left Him.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] What does it cost a year for the "necessaries" of a woman?

This is a question that a jury and a Supreme Court judge are to decide soon. Whether the "necessaries" include a wardrobe that costs upward of $20,000 in considerably less than a year, or bare living expenses with perhaps a printed cotton gown or two, is the problem that must be decided by the fourteen men.

Much interest must attach to the decision, as it may bring to some better halves a legal dictum that they are entitled to much more than they are at present receiving in the way of wearing apparel.

Suit against Howard Gould—another of the several that have been brought against him since his separation from his wife—give the basis for the query. In a legal action brought by the Mrs. Osborne Company, of which Mrs. Josefa Nielson Osborne is president and leading designer to people of fashion, the allegation is made that Mrs. Howard Gould purchased from the plaintiff $20,000 worth of gowns and accessories in a period of nine months and that she was entitled to do so on her husband's credit under her legal requirements, even if he or she were living apart at the time.

DENIES HE'S RESPONSIBLE.

In answer to the complaint, made through his attorneys, Nicoll, Anable, Lindsay & Fuller, Mr. Gould asserts that he is not responsible for this dressmaking bill of his wife's as "at the time specified in the complaint and bill attached, his wife was living apart and separate from him, while he was providing for her 'necessaries' in the way of maintenance."

This answer, Mrs. Osborne's attorneys, Tomlinson, Tompkins & Tomlinson, say will not stand in court, as a woman of Mrs. Howard Gould's position could not be expected even to exist without the quantity and quality of clothing that was furnished her by the Mrs. Osborne Company.

The lawyers assert that she had less than she might have obtained in view of the social requirements demanded of her. That is the question that will come up for legal adjustment.

The bill of particulars filed by the Mrs. Osborne Company asserts that between the second day of October, 1906, and the eighteenth day of July, 1907, Mrs. Gould had from this company of dressmakers alone articles of clothing aggregating $20,750. The modistes declare that Mrs. Gould received credit on account of their interpretation of the law that she was acting as her husband's agent.

ITEMS OF THE BILL.

In the answer, Mr. Gould's lawyers assert that he was not responsible for Katherine Gould's accounts after the separation of the pair, except for her "necessities." On this line will the fight be made at an early date.

Among the many items in the Mrs. Osborne Company bill the largest is for a white batiste embroidered gown with filet lace. This is put down at $650. The smallest item is for "refreshing hat and curling feathers." This was only $4. Among the other specifications are two chiffon motoring veils at $20 each; one white straw hat at $85; a white linen gown at $175; a blue chiffon teagown and coat, $475; a mustard tweed coat and skirt, $175; and two embroidered belts at $22 each.

Mrs. Gould, in signing her name to the bill, declares that all the articles of clothing purchased by her of Mrs. Osborne were "necessaries."

TO IMPROVE MOUNTAIN ROADS.

DENVER, March 31.—Articles of incorporation of the Rocky Mountain Highway Association, having for its object the promotion of the building of improved highways and roads along the base of the Rocky Mountains in Colorado, Montana, Wyoming, Idaho, Utah, New Mexico and Arizona, were filed with Secretary of State O'Connor today by Gerald Hughes, Harold Kountze and Charles A. Johnson.

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500 Different Kinds of a Face.

Picture the President of the United States in 500 different attitudes, 500 different expressions, and watch for the supplement which is to come with the Sunday Times of April 5. It is a study from life of the strenuous ...uou „enouans„ w jo aouanbaa...

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If you do have backache, be careful not to make the very common mistake of treating it as a muscular trouble. Do not rub the sore place with liniment, nor put on plasters, for the seat of the trouble is inside—in the kidneys, which lie just beneath the small of the back, on either side of the spine.

A cold, a chill, a fever, overwork, overeating or overdrinking may start a slight congestion or inflammation in the kidneys that will at once interrupt the kidneys' work of filtering the blood. It is this condition that sets up the aching, and makes your back so bad.

You can not make any mistake by treating the kidneys at once, for it is these small troubles that lead to dropsy, diabetes and Bright's disease.

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THE CITY IN BRIEF

An April Fool!

NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Japanese Liberal.

A contribution of $50 was received yesterday from M. Takakawa, secretary of the American-Japanese Bank, by Secretary Wiggins of the Chamber of Commerce, to be added to the fund for the purchase of the silver service for the U.S.S. California.

Mission Anniversary.

In honor of the 126th anniversary of the founding of the San Buenventura mission by Father Junipero, Mrs. Wheeler gave a short description of the mission, yesterday, in the colonial exhibition room at the Chamber of Commerce, over which she presides.

Local Bankrupts.

Yule Wreckich, a local merchant, filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy in the United States District Court yesterday. His stated liabilities are $3200, assets, $1600. Lee G. Camp of this city filed a bankruptcy petition, with liabilities of $1193 and nominal assets.

Consulate Moves.

Owing to the daily increase in his business, making it necessary that he have a more central office, Antonio Lozano, Consul of Mexico, will move tomorrow to Rooms 213 and 214, Stimson building, Third and Spring streets. For some months the Consulate has been at No. 1515 West Seventh street.

Banquet to Prof. and Mrs. Dozier.

Prof. and Mrs. Melville Dozier were entertained at a banquet last night by the members of Mr. Dozier's Bible class of the First Baptist Church. The affair was in honor of the return of Prof. and Mrs. Dozier from the North, where they spent two months visiting their son at Oakland.

University Entertainer.

Everett Kemp, impersonator and reader, will give interpretative selections under the title of "Seven Oaks," at Simpson's Auditorium tomorrow night. The entertainment is the fourth number of the university midwinter course, given under the auspices of the University of Southern California Auxiliary. Scenes from "If I Were King" will be among the numbers presented.

Republicans Enthuse.

A rousing Republican rally was held at No. 2114 East First street last night under the direction of the Ninth Ward Republican Club. The names of Taft and Roosevelt were loudly cheered and great enthusiasm was displayed. E. B. Powell presided and among the speakers were C. C. Bowen, C. P. Paul, president of the Brooklyn Heights Republican Club; Sam Kutz, George Rheinschild and Dr. George W. Campbell.

Nurses, Shriners' Circus.

One of the features of the Shriners' Circus is to be the group of "nurses," who are to sell the official programmes. This committee will be made up of probably the greatest aggregation of beauties ever seen in Los Angeles. The result will be quite a demand on their services. The personnel of the committee is as follows: Frederica Hines (matron;) Charlotte Henderson, Georgiana Flich, Alexandria Brode, Oscarita Morgan, Walteria Brode, Samuelina Behrendt, Walteria McCarty, Frances Bryson. This committee occupied a box at the Orpheum last night and afterward dined at Levy's.

Handsome Invitation.

A beautiful work of art is the invitation the people of San Diego have sent out, bidding attendance at the festivities in that city in honor of Admiral Evans and the officers and men of the fleet. The invitation is signed by Mayor John F. Forward, and by William Clayton, chairman of the General Committee. Five thousand marines and sixteen bands will parade the San Diego streets, under command of Capt. R. R. Ingersoll, chief of the staff of Admiral Evans. One evening of the fleet's stay will be given up to a grand display of fireworks and one afternoon to boat races. A grand ball will be given for the officers at Hotel del Coronado.

BREVITIES.

Sunday Real Estate Liners. Classified real estate advertisements for insertion in THE SUNDAY TIMES must be in the office not later than 10:30 o'clock Saturday night. Other "want" advertisements for Sunday insertion taken over the counter until 11:30 p.m. The great volume of liners printed in The Sunday Times, numbering regularly over 5000 separate announcements, makes this regulation absolutely necessary in order to get the big Sunday issue out on time.

There will be a concert given under the auspices of the Young Ladies' Auxiliary at Immanuel Church, Friday evening, April 3. The concert will be given by the choir and assisting soloists. A silver offering will be taken.

The Leather Store, 715 South Broadway, for pillows, art novelties and leather of all kinds. Ladies' hand bags and belts made to order. Repairing of all kinds. If it is leather we make it.

Retail department sale of Benham's continues this week. Baskets, Navajo blankets, pillows, mats and novelties at cost.

Pillows, purses, mats and novelties less than cost this week at 514 S. Hill street.

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VIENNA POLICE CLEAR HALL.

VENNA, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Last night when the miners of Brux, Bohemia, met to discuss old age pensions, one of the speakers criticised the action of the authorities.

The police commissioner immediately declared the meeting closed and the gendarmerie cleared the hall.

Anarchists and socialists are under the closest surveillance.

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PERSONAL.

H. C. Stimler, a Nevada mining man, is registered at the Angelus.

Mrs. T. Berry of Washington, D. C., is at the Angelus. She will pass several weeks here.

P. P. Shelby, banker, of Cleveland, O., and Mrs. P. M. Shelby are guests at the Van Nuys.

Fred W. McCartney, one of the best-known golfists in Colorado, is a guest at the Lankershim.

John H. Porter of Denver, Colo., a leading business man and capitalist, is at the Lankershim.

J. Lindeburg, an Alaskan mine operator, is at the Angelus. He was one of the pioneers of Nome.

G. B. McFall of Washington, D. C., is at the Angelus. He intends to remain here several weeks.

H. P. Gale, manufacturer of machinery and supplies, Chicago, is registered at the Van Nuys.

A. G. Fisher, capitalist of Cleveland, O., and Mrs. Fisher are at the Van Nuys for an indefinite stay.

Juan B. Uribe of Ensenada is in the city on a business visit connected with his mining interests, and is at the Angelus.

E. D. Buss, president of the First National Bank of Bakersfield, is at the King Edward. He is accompanied by his wife.

Peter F. Murray, Mrs. Agnes Murray and Miss Murray of New York arrived yesterday and are registered at the Angelus.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Kite and child and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Orochi and child of Denver, Colo., are guests at the Angelus.

J. T. Richards of Santa Barbara, director of the First National Bank and of the Commercial Bank of that place, is at the Van Nuys.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Edward Ward of Santa Cruz are guests at the King Edward. They expect to settle permanently in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Beckwith of Tulare, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Cassidy of Whiting, Iowa, and F. S. Osler of Mansfield, O., are registered at the King Edward.

Paul de Laney, publisher of the Death Valley Magazine, issued at Rhyolite, Nev., and Deputy District Attorney for the Fifth Judicial District of that State, is in the city.

Mrs. E. B. Proctor, Mrs. A. M. Clifford and Mrs. H. L. Proctor of Marlboro, Mass., are at the Westminster. They expect to remain in Southern California several weeks.

A. W. J. Gibbs, a San Francisco newspaper man; Miss Della Fox, the actress, and James McIntyre, who is playing at a local theater this week, are guests at the King Edward.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hayward and J. Emmet Hayden, who motored down from San Francisco, will spend several days in and about the city, making the Hotel Hayward their headquarters.

Jefferson Myers of Portland, who served several terms in both houses of the Oregon Legislature, was president of the Lewis and Clark Exposition and a colonel on the staff of Gov. Pennoyer, is in the city, and will spend several weeks here.

WELCOMED AT NEW ORLEANS.

Mrs. Roosevelt and Guests, on Board Mayflower, Received by Governor of Louisiana.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW ORLEANS, March 31.—The President's yacht Mayflower, with Mrs. Roosevelt and her guests on board, arrived here this afternoon.

Gov. Blanchard and several personal friends of the President met the party and extended a greeting in the name of the State and city.

In conformity with the wishes expressed by Mrs. Roosevelt when her trip was first planned, no formal entertainments have been arranged in her honor during her stay here.

VITAL RECORD — BIRTHS. DEATHS. MARRIAGES. DIVORCE.

Births.

VON DER OHE. To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Von der Ohe (nee Luer,) a son, March 27.

Deaths.

ARNOLD. In Oakland, Cal., March 28, 1908, William S., beloved husband of Garnet Arnold, father of Ray H. Arnold, grandfather of Richard R. and Bernice Arnold, in his fifty-seventh year. Funeral services will be held under the auspices of Los Angeles Lodge, No. 35, I.O.O.F., in the chapel of Orr & Edwards Co., corner Tenth and Flower streets, on Wednesday, April 1, 1908, at 2 o'clock.

SIBLEY. At 4743 Staunton avenue, March 30, 1908, William T. Sibley, aged 69 years. Funeral services will be held at chapel of Breese Bros., 145 South Figueroa street, Wednesday at 10:30. Members of A.O.U.W. and G.A.R. invited.

MANY. Mrs. Mary H. Many, March 31, 1908, aged 82 years, mother of Mrs. John Harney, Mrs. Susan McBride and Charles B. Many. Funeral from the residence of her daughter, No. 259 West Thirty-first street, Friday, April 3, at 2 p.m. (New York and Brooklyn papers please copy.)

ROSS. In this city, Jemima Ross, aged 83 years. Remains at Sutch's funeral chapel. Interment, Winnipeg, Manitoba, Can.

SEIFKE. At No. 2828 West Ninth street, March 31, Mrs. Wanda Seifke, aged 64 years, beloved mother of Mrs. Francis W. Holst. Funeral notice later.

SOMMERVILLE. March 30, Mrs. Maggie Stevens Sommerville, beloved wife of Mack L. Sommerville. Burial, Eugene, Or. (Oregon papers please copy.)

SMITH. At residence, No. 122 East Avenue 42, Hiram W. Smith, dearly beloved husband of Celia W. Smith and father of Geo. B. and Stella E. Smith, aged 60 years 5 months 2 days. Funeral from John R. Paul's chapel, No. 2621 Downey avenue, Thursday, April 2, at 2 p.m., Rev. G. W. Evans officiating. Friends invited to attend. Interment private.

WEEKS. In Chloride, Ariz., Saturday, March 28, 1908, Mrs. Josephine Weeks, formerly of Los Angeles, a native of Ohio, aged 60 years. Funeral services were held Monday, March 30, from parlors of Barton & Catick, of San Bernardino.

HOFFMAN. John K. Hoffman, No. 1124 West Twenty-eighth street, March 31, aged 78 years, born in Williamsport, Pa. Services at residence, 10:30 a.m., Thursday. (Milwaukee and Chicago papers please copy.)

GREEN. In Los Angeles, March 28, 1908, Phoebe Ann Green, mother of Albert P., Abner U., James W., M. H. Green and Mrs. Venton Pyke, Mrs. William Chandler, Mrs. Pearl Chandler, Mrs. J. R. Paradise and Mrs. Henry W. Iman, aged 66 years. The funeral services will be held at the residence, 811 Grand View, Thursday at 2 o'clock. Friends invited.

WEIS. In Las Vegas, Nev., Mrs. Peache Weis, aged 65 years. Funeral from Sutch's funeral chapel today at 10 a.m.

Marriages.

MANASSE-SEPULVEDA. Hyman Manasse, aged 26, a native of California and a resident of Los Angeles, and Febronia Sepulveda, aged 24, a native of California and a resident of West Glendale.

ANGEL-PATTON. Thomas R. Angel, aged 21, a native of Illinois, and Ora Patton, aged 23, a native of California, both residents of Los Angeles.

DEMAN-HENLEY. Charles W. Deman, aged 24, a native of Texas, and Julia M. Henley, aged 18, a native of Georgia, both residents of Los Angeles.

WEIDKNECHT-RIFFELLE. Albert J. Weidknecht, aged 31, a native of Illinois, and Jessie Riffelle, aged 22, a native of Ohio, both residents of Pasadena.

WILCOX-BARNHART. Lyman E. Wilcox, aged 33, a native of California, and Anna M. Barnhart, aged 17, a native of Washington, both residents of Los Angeles.

STURGIS-HYDE. Josiah R. Sturgis, aged 24, a native of California and a resident of Holtville, and Nellie M. Hyde, aged 24, a native of California, and a resident of Los Angeles.

M'ELWAIN-STOTT. Wesley E. McElwain, aged 24, a native of Massachusetts, and Minnie M. Stott, aged 25, a native of Washington, both residents of Los Angeles.

SWENSON-CARLSON. Edward Swenson, aged 43, a native of Sweden, and Caroline W. Carlson, aged 42, a native of Sweden, both residents of Oakland.

SUTHERLAND-SUTHERLAND. Seymour F. Sutherland, aged 45, a native of South Africa and a resident of Los Angeles, and Lillian B. Sutherland, aged 27, a native of Illinois and a resident of Pasadena.

BERGER-ANDERSON. Eugene L. Berger, aged 27, a native of France, and Margaret N. Anderson, aged 20, a native of Nebraska, both residents of Los Angeles.

WARREN-HOWDEL. George M. Warren, aged 58, a native of New York and a resident of Spring Valley, Minn., and Nancy Howdel, aged 46, a native of Wisconsin and a resident of Long Beach.

RICHLI-WALDVOGEL. William Richli, aged 23, a native of Switzerland and a resident of Los Angeles, and Emma Waldvogel, aged 29, a native of Switzerland and a resident of Schaffhouse, Switzerland.

MATEJICEK-WANATKOVA. Jaromir Matejicek, aged 21, a native of Bohemia, and Anna Wanatkova, aged 19, a native of Bohemia, both residents of Los Angeles.

BROWNSTEIN-HUSKOWITZ. Emil Brownstein, aged 28, a native of Russia, and Annie Huskowitz, aged 24, a native of Roumania, both residents of Los Angeles.

YAHNKE-REIDY. Fred Yahnke, aged 34, a native of Germany, and Frances I. Reidy, aged 34, a native of Michigan, both residents of Los Angeles.

Divorce.

SUITS. Elvesna Miller against Jesse A. Miller; M. C. Liles against John H. Liles.

DECREES. Eda Cuppett against Clarence Cuppett; Bertha M. Wilkinson against Lucas H. Wilkinson; Katheleen F. Cullen against Henry W. Cullen.

Masonic Funeral.

Pentalpha Lodge, No. 302, F. & A. M., will meet on Thursday, the 2nd day of April, 1908, at 10:30 a.m., to attend the funeral of Brother John Keys Hoffman, a member of this lodge. By order of the W.M.

W. W. ROBINSON, Secretary.

Asylum of Los Angeles Commandery, No. 9, Knights Templar.

All Sir Knights of Los Angeles Commandery are requested to assemble in full Templar uniform at Masonic Temple, No. 421 South Hill street, Thursday morning, April 2, at 10:30 o'clock, to attend the funeral of our late frater, J. K. Hoffman.

By order of

WM. TARRISH JEFFRIES, Commander.

G.A.R. Funeral.

Members of Stanton Post and Relief Corps and all other posts and corps are requested to attend the funeral of Comrade William T. Sibley of John Godfrey Post of Pasadena, from Breese Brothers' parlors, No. 855 South Figueroa street, today (Wednesday,) April 1, at 10:30 a.m.

C. E. CASE, Commander.

J. M. GUINN, Adjutant.

SOUTH GATE LODGE, No. 339, F. & A. M., will confer the third degree this (Wednesday) evening.

K. L. WILCOX, Master.

Funeral Notice.

The funeral of Kyron Whelon of Santa Monica was held Monday, March 30, from Catholic Church.

Card of Thanks.

Mrs. Robert A. Riddle of No. 1236 East Twentieth street and her nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hayes, desire to express their thanks to their many friends who have shown so much sympathy and kindness in their bereavement.

MRS. R. A. RIDDLE.
MR. AND MRS. J. F. HAYES.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express in this manner our heartfelt thanks to the many neighbors and friends for their help and sympathy during the sickness and death of our beloved wife and mother, and to all who sent so many beautiful floral tributes.

C. M. DRAWBAUGH AND FAMILY.

Card of Thanks.

I desire to express my sincere thanks to the friends who have shown so much kindness and sympathy in my bereavement.

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Large variation of sizes—75 suits in all. Sale commences today.

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The variety shown here embrace (while nothing in common) from the daintiest to the most elaborate.
Trousseaux in 3 piece, priced from..... $10.50
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150 High Class Skirts
Values From $15 to $24.50
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Every style is among this lot—a few dozen beautiful tailored panamas that sell from $15 to $16.50—a score or more novelty worsteds that are regular $19.50, $22.50 and $24.50 skirts; about 50 voile and silk skirts in black that range in price from $15 to $20—some samples—some cancellations—every one is an exceptional bargain at..... $10

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At this special price, a beautiful collection of hand-made chiffon, leghorns and hair shapes trimmed in the inimitable "JACOBY" way. A style and fashion you will never find elsewhere. Included in the lot are many Milans. Special for Wednesday..... $10
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We have just received our Spring shipment of the celebrated Reynier kid gloves—for which we are sole agents in Southern California.
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We are sole agents in Southern California for the famous "Mirage" silks. Spring styles are now ready. See them today. Silk Department.

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Belt Buckles Worth up to $6.50 at $2
Belt Buckles in French Gilt, Rose Gold, and Pompeiian finish, studded with Japanese Jade and Coral. Values up to $6.50—on sale at $2.00 each today.
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Women's Necklaces and Lavallieres, set with Amethyst, Jade, Turquoise and other semi-precious stones—values up to $5.00, at $1.50 each.

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On special sale today for quick clearance, leather hand bags, worth up to $12.00, at $5.00 each. Included are a number of fancy and staple styles—of various leathers, such as seal, walrus, fancy calf, lizard,etc.—at the $5.00 price—values are really extraordinary.

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The gloves we will sell tomorrow at the above mentioned price are exact duplicates of those we've been getting $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75 for.

All of them are pure silk gloves, with the exception of five or six dozen, which are taffeta, lisle and silk mixed; some few of those were $1.25. All the others sold heretofore at $1.50 and $1.75 a pair.

We bought them, of course, away under regular price. It's the other man's loss, not ours—and your gain. Better be punctual!

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BRAVO!

GLAD GREETING HERE FOR ITALIAN RACER.

Travel-Scarred Car in New York to Paris Contest Met by Throng and Is Sent on Way to the North—Thomas at Seattle.

BLISTERED by the desert sun, covered with dust and with most of the the paint scratched off the Zust, the Italian car which is second in the New York-Paris race, dashed down Broadway, gazed at curiously by hundreds. It reached this city at 5 o'clock and left for Santa Barbara at 5. In the interval, its crew was feted by the Italian colony.

The car left Daggett yesterday morning at 8 o'clock, and was driven to the Cajon Pass, where it was met by H. D. Ryus in a White steamer, and piloted through Glendora. From Azusa, The Times party, in an Oldsmobile driven by H. O. Harrison, directed the course of the foreigners into Los Angeles, via Monrovia, Arcadia and Pasadena.

The crew was warmly received by acting Italian Vice-Consul, Senor Giocommini, and by C. Porreca and J. Menetti, representing the Italian colony.

At Pasadena crowds lined the boulevard and cheered the sun-browned occupants of the racer and all long the way into Los Angeles they were given a reception which must have raised their spirits. At North Main street a crowd of 500 Italians blocked the street, and at the Italian Club the car was forced to stop while the visitors were toasted.

Autos from this city formed a gay escort, many being decorated with American and Italian flags.

STUPID POLICEMAN.

At First and Main streets a stupid policeman almost marred the triumphal entry. The car was stopped for a moment while the officer jumped on the footboard and waved his club furiously. He was soon appeased and the machine rolled on up First street to Broadway and down that thoroughfare to the White Garage.

Thousands of people lined the streets through which the racer passed. Several spectators in their earnestness to get a closer view of the men in the car climbed on it. The crew was highly pleased at the cordial treatment accorded here—the more so because in some places along the cross-continent route hostility was shown.

Repairs to the gasoline tank occupied several hours, and while these were in progress the crew was enjoying a banquet at the Italian Club.

When the start for Santa Barbara was made, promptly at 9 o'clock, William Reuss and George Adair, in a Pope-Hartford, acted as pilots. The coast route to San Francisco will be taken to avaid the climb over the Tehachepi, which the Thomas made.

When the gray, foreign motor poked through the dust of the highway near Azusa, at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, the watchers at the roadside sent up a lusty cheer, and the men in the car smiled, stopped, shook hands, and were off again.

At the wheel was Julio Sirtori, who, since leaving New York, has not relinquished his post. He has lost fifteen pounds during the run across the continent, and says he has become almost a part of the machine. He declares that he will drive every foot of the way to Paris.

He does not care for praise. He smiles sadly, when complimented, and seems bored. He hates to talk about himself, but becomes eloquent about his car. He loves it as an Arab loves his steed.

Two incidents stand out with especial clearness in the mind of Sirtori—his reception by the Union Pacific employés on the other side of the Aspen tunnel, and his welcome in Los Angeles.

DELAY EXPLAINED.

"We lost three days by going over the pass," he said. "They let the Thomas go through the tunnel. It took them only six hours, and it only seemed fair that the Zust should follow, but they would not let us through. We went over the hill, and yet we are not so far behind."

The wizard of the car shrugged his shoulders, smiled and remarked.

"The race has not begun yet. Wait till we get into Siberia. That is where the real test will come. It is well enough to go fast, but this is an endurance run, and we will win."

There was a tenseness in his voice which showed that the one object of his life is to be victorious. His car

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Italian Racing Automobile Which Arrived Yesterday.

Second car in the great New York to Paris race, as it came into Los Angeles after a hot sprint across the desert, and the men who accompany it; from left to right in upper picture are Julio Sirtori, driver, who has been at the wheel from the start; Antonio Scarfoglio, representing London and Italian newspapers, and Harry Haaga, the machinist, all of them from Milan, Italy.

BIFF!

HITS SCALPERS MIGHTY BLOW.

ESPEE SECURES A TEMPORARY INJUNCTION.

Strong Effort to Put End to Speculation in Colonist and Tourist Tickets—Defendants Are Cited to Appear in Federal Court—Further Actions Contemplated.

In an effort to put an end to speculation in colonist tickets, the Southern Pacific Railroad Company filed a suit against a number of local ticket brokers, in the United States Court yesterday. Judge Wellborn issued a temporary injunction restraining Moses Greenewald, Selmar Magnus, Theodore Fulton and others from dealing in any tourist or colonist tickets issued by the railroad pending the final hearing.

It is believed this action will be followed by other suits in the Federal courts of the West, directed against all scalpers who attempt to buy or sell such special tickets. Failure to obey the injunction renders the defendants liable in contempt of court proceedings.

In the bill of complaint filed yesterday the railroad company states that it has issued colonist tickets during certain periods of the year for many seasons in order to stimulate immigration to this State. A special rate of about one-fourth less than the regular second-class tariff is made and the tickets are sold subject to certain conditions.

It is alleged that the only reason for making the reduced rate is to induce a high class of farmers, mechanics and merchants to visit California with the purpose of settling here permanently. These special tickets are sold at various eastern points from March 1 to April 30, inclusive. Each purchaser is required to sign his name to the ticket and is expected to make a continuous journey to the point of destination, subject only to stop-over privileges at designated points.

The complaint sets forth that brokers throughout this State belong to associations formed for the purpose of buying and selling unused portions of railroad tickets and that they have been unusually active in dealing in colonist transportation.

Attorney McKinley, who represents the Southern Pacific Railroad Company, states that the majority of brokers are without means and that judgments against them would prove of little value. He says that actions for damage would require a multiplicity of suits and endless litigation. He asks the court to grant an injunction that will cover the purchase, sale, advertising and exchange of all such tickets. The defendants are cited to appear before Judge Wellborn next Monday.

HARD HIT.

HALF-MILLION CINCH ON ONE CITY BLOCK.

Court Holds Up Fierce Assessment on Broadway Property for an Alley. Five Hundred Thousand Dollars Demanded of Few Owners.

JUDGE BORDWELL yesterday held up the most sensational—yes, excruciating damage and improvement assessment ever made in this city.

A half million dollars tax on one block of land to pay for an alley—this is the squirm-producer. The men affected are the owners of the Broadway and Sixth-street block marked by the great Jevne store.

Property owners in this one block were called upon to pay $520,900 in condemnation proceedings to open a right of way for an alley through the middle of the block, 125 feet long by 40 feet wide, by the findings of three referees filed with Judge Bordwell in the Superior Court.

A howl of protest, legal and otherwise, has gone up over the awards in this attempt to open up St. Vincent Place, running from Sixth to Seventh street between Broadway and Hill streets. Further legal proceedings will be taken and a big fight made.

It all began when the City Council got ambitious on April 29, 1907, and passed an ordinance to open St. Vincent Place and connect the two ends, one running in from Seventh street and the other running toward the middle of the block from Sixth street.

At one time old St. Vincent's College stood on this property, which is known as lot 11, block 18, Ord's survey. It is the only lot in the block which runs through from Broadway to Hill street. It has a frontage upon each thoroughfare of 125 feet and the Central Department Store now occupies the Broadway half of the block. It is the space through this lot that the city wants to open.

To pay for this strip of land and for the damages and expenses of opening the alley the Council passed a second ordinance forming of the block bound by Broadway, Hill, Sixth and Seventh streets a "road district," the property owners to be assessed to bear the expenses.

BEGINS PROCEEDINGS.

When the city, through City Attorney Hewitt and Deputy City Attorney Robertson, who is in charge of the case, filed the complaint in condemnation with the Superior Court, Judge Bordwell appointed three referees, W. H. Cook, T. N. Canfield and R. M. Allen, to take testimony and make the awards for damages to property owners and others interested and to decide upon the value of the strip of land.

It took the referees 100 days, for which they charged $1500, to take the necessary testimony. The defendants are the Broadway Realty Company, Albert Prenzlauer, Isaac Norton, Bernard Desenberg, Central Department Store, Los Angeles Trust Company, as trustee, Central Broadway Building Company, H. Raphael Company, California Planing Mill Company and a number of John Does.

The Central Department Store filed an answer to the condemnation proceedings setting forth the terms of its lease upon the half of the lot taken up by its building. This lease is for twenty-five years with a total rental for that time of $1,125,000, payable $3000 a month until October 30, 1911; then $3500 a month until October 30, 1916; then $3750 a month until October 30, 1921; then $4000 a month until October 30, 1926, and then $4500 a month until October 30, 1931.

The defendant also states that if this strip of land is condemned it will have to move its engine-room, its shipping, wrapping, Chinese tea rooms and a section at least of a number of other important departments now part of the store. Altogether it claims damages of $356,340, named item by item, for the opening of this alley.

But here is an interesting phase of the controversy over the awards. The land is owned in the first place by the Broadway Realty Company, which is composed of J. M. Elliott, president; Wesley Clark, secretary, and William I. Smith, treasurer.

LEASEHOLD VALUES.

The lot is leased for twenty-five years at a total rental of $1,050,000, to the Central Broadway Building Company, which consists of Messrs. Prenzlauer, Norton and Desenberg.

Half of the lot is then sub-leased by the Central Broadway Building Company to the Central department store for twenty-five years for a total rental of $1,125,000. The Central department store is owned by Messrs. Prenzlauer, Norton and Desenberg.

The Los Angeles Trust Company is interested because it holds a deed of trust.

But the referees in their report assert that they find that Messrs. Prenzlauer, Norton and Desenberg are not interested in the transaction as individuals. Neither are H. Rafael & Co. nor the California Planing Mill Company as defendants.

In their report the referees find that the strip of land to be condemned is valued at $155,250.

They find that the damages which accrues to that portion of the property not sought to be condemned, by reason of its severance from that portion sought to be condemned, is $127,250.

That the value of the interest of the Central Broadway Building Company damaged is $16,000.

That the value of the improvements on the land sought to be condemned due the Central Broadway Building Company is $35,000.

That the damage to the leasehold estate of the Central Broadway Building Company in the parcel of land not sought to be condemned is $134,559.

DAMAGE FIGURES.

That the value of the interest of the Central department store in the land sought to be condemned is $10,986.

That the value of the improvements on the land sought to be condemned of the Central department store is $4154.

That the damages accruing to the estate of the Central department store as a subtenant of the Central Broadway Building Company is $31,614.

That the total compensation proper to be paid the Los Angeles Trust Company as holder of a mortgage on the tract owned by the Broadway Realty Company is $174,553.

That the total compensation proper to be paid the Central department store is $46,754.

That the total compensation proper to be paid the Broadway Realty Company is $296,500.

The expenses of the referee hearings includes $500 for each of the referees; total, $1500. Also $253.40 for the shorthand record, $100 for clerical services and $14.45 for other expenses.

THE SUFFERERS.

John H. Norton owns the corner of Broadway and Sixth street, upon which Jevne's great new store stands. J. E. Carr and W. D. Stephens, of Carr & Stephens, own their building in the center of the block on Broadway. Herbert J. Goudge has a lease on the Unique Theater next door. E. T. Earl has the corner of Broadway and Seventh street. Mrs. Eschman owns the corner of Seventh street and St. Vincent Place. Niles Pease has the eight-story building on Hill street near the center of the block. W. I. Hollingsworth owns the corner of Sixth and Hill streets. There are also others.

OWNERS OBJECT.

When these property owners, who would have to stand the expense of these awards besides paying for the opening of the alley, heard of the way things were going, there was a sudden demand for counsel.

For two days there was argument before Judge Bordwell in the Superior Court. Nathan Newby, Jones & Weller, Gibson, Trask, Dunn and Crutcher, and a number of other legal firms were represented. Deputy City Attorney Robertson filed exceptions to the report and there was trouble in the air.

Judge Bordwell yesterday decided not to confirm the report of the referees, but to hear evidence in the case himself on May 11, next. It will be a symposium of the prominent attorneys of Los Angeles.

FIREMAN'S BAD FALL.

Owen J. Lambe, 23 years old, a driver for Engine Company No. 17, East Seventh street and Santa Fé avenue, was painfully injured yesterday morning by falling through the pole hole in the engine house. Lambe had been suffering with rheumatism and every morning went through a series of light exercises. These overtaxed his strength, yesterday and he fainted, plunging head downward through the pole hole and striking the cement floor of the stable below. He is at the Emergency Hospital.

PUBLIC SERVICE—OFFICIAL DOINGS.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

A bug has been discovered in the new liquor zone law; the wholesale district is enough larger than the saloon limits to protect three licenses that the Council meant to revoke.

The health board is involved in a lively contest over locating a feed stable on East Sixteenth street; Councilmen are reported to be paying political debts through the board.

Declaring a deed to Wilmington business property to be fictitious, Judge Conrey yesterday gave judgment in favor of Edward Amar in his suit against C. E. Smith, and others, to quiet title to the property.

Judge Wilbur yesterday heard evidence in J. L. Franck's suit against C. W. Pressley, his partner, to get title to property in Vernon avenue tract.

Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Pollard's suit against Mr. and Mrs. John Rebman regarding access to a twelve-foot right of way leading into Sunbury street came to trial before Judge James yesterday.

Judge Rives yesterday took under advisement Arnold Cordes's petition for immediate distribution of the major portion of the property of the Isabella Cappel estate.

AT THE CITY HALL.

BUG IN NEW LIQUOR LAW.

WHOLESALE ZONE LARGER THAN SALOON DISTRICT.

Boundaries Were Increased Although the Council Gave Explicit Instructions That There Should Be no Change—Attorneys for Both Sides Prepare for Bitter Battle.

The fight between the White Ribboners and the wholesale liquor dealers will be transferred today from the Council to the courts. There are twenty-one locations outside the zone; at each of these a careful watch will be kept by the reformers to see whether liquor is sold. The licenses expired last night, and the City Clerk, acting under instructions from the City Attorney, will decline to issue new permits.

Attorneys for the liquor dealers will make a demand on the Clerk for these licenses, and when refused they will apply to the Superior Court for a writ of mandate, directing the Clerk to issue the licenses as formerly.

The prosecuting attorney's office will take a part in the controversy by instructing the detective department to detail men to secure evidence of violation of the law. City Attorney Hewitt says that he has instructed his assistants at the Police Station to proceed forthwith against all dealers who sell liquor without a license.

At least a dozen communities in the residence districts are following closely every move in this contest; these are the ones that have been objecting for years to the liquor stores in their neighborhood. They took a leading part a year ago in securing the ordinance creating a wholesale zone.

If the present ordinance is declared valid by the courts it will mean that no liquor will be sold legally in Los Angeles outside the wholesale zone.

In making their investigations yesterday the attorneys for the city discovered that the Council and the public were victimized at the time the ordinance was passed by a bit of sharp practice manipulated by the liquor interests. The Council instructed the City Attorney to prepare an ordinance limiting the further issuance of wholesale liquor licenses to locations inside the saloon zone. The ordinance as finally adopted describes a district extending 150 feet beyond each street named as the boundary of the saloon district; the result of this sharp practice is that three locations outside the saloon zone are within the wholesale liquor zone.

At the time the ordinance was passed the statement was made repeatedly on the floor of the Council that the district is the same as the saloon zone; but when the question of moving inside came up for discussion, it soon developed that the Royal A. was aware of the enlarged district, and that by this manipulation three wholesalers were protected.

There is likely to be a howl from the residents in the districts affected when they learn how they were tricked.

Last night there was a rumor afloat in municipal circles that a final attempt to secure some form of modified legislation will be made at this afternoon's session of the Council. An adjourned meeting is arranged for today, presumably to pass demands for the pay of city officials and employés, but it affords an opportunity for a final appeal on the part of the liquor interests.

Several Councilmen said yesterday that they are determined the liquor stores shall move out of the residence districts. They say that if the liquor men succeed in defeating the present ordinance they will pass another providing that liquor may not be sold by wholesalers in quantities of less than five gallons; this is the limit fixed by the United States government on wholesaling. If such an ordinance were passed by the Council, it would drive all the family liquor stores, so-called, out of the residence districts.

FIGHT OVER STABLE PERMITS.

FIRST TEST OF NEW LAW.

The health board has become involved in a lively controversy over a permit for a feed stable which the Munger Laundry Company desires to locate at No. 728 East Sixteenth street. Recently the Council passed an ordinance to the effect that no feed stables may be located anywhere in the residence districts without first securing a permit from the health board. Some of the parties in interest say that this ordinance was passed for the express purpose of blocking the Munger Laundry permit.

The ordinance requires that the signatures of the owners of property in the block must be secured before a permit for a feed stable can be granted. A week ago Attorney M. K. Young filed with the board a petition for the Munger stables; this petition contained the requisite amount of frontage. But at the same meeting the Los Angeles Land Company, an adjunct of the Los Angeles Railway Company, filed a written notice withdrawing its signature for 1549 feet of the frontage. This leaves the petition without a majority of the frontage.

Attorney Young secured an adjournment for a week in order that other frontage signatures might be secured. It appears that the other side has been busy, too. Yesterday Mrs. Dees and four other property owners in the affected block filed a notice with the Board of Public Works withdrawing their signatures. This notice has not come yet before the health board.

The Munger plant asks for a concession to keep eighteen horses. A week ago the board granted to the Los Angeles Railway Company a permit to keep forty-six horses at its stables in the same block.

BIG INCREASE RECORDED.

STREET RAILWAY TRAFFIC.

In a statement filed with the City Clerk yesterday the Inter-Urban Railway Company reports an increase of $170,000 in the revenue for the company over last year. The statement is one that the company is required to make in paying to the city 2 per cent. of the gross revenue from bits of track that are a part of the Inter-Urban road.

The total revenue of the company from its fifty miles of trackage for the year ending February 5, was $634,051; the revenue for the twelve months ending June 1, of 1907, was $524,833. This shows an increase of 23 per cent.

AT THE COURTHOUSE.

SEEMS FORGED, BUT BY WHOM?

RESIDENT OF FRANCE DEPOSES IN SUIT OVER DEED.

Original Document Missing and Nobody Knows How It Came Into Existence—Wilmington Real Estate Involved—Many Men and One Woman Interested in Matter.

That some person unknown, in March, 1890, forged a deed by which Victor Meyer purported to convey to Mrs. Martha Johnson, now Mrs. Swope of Wilmington, a block of Wilmington real estate now worth $6000, was indicated by testimony presented by Judge Conrey in a suit brought by Edward Amar against C. E. Smith, and others, to quiet title to the property.

After hearing the evidence, which included a deposition by Victor Meyer, who has lived continuously at Saint Bonnet, Hautes Alpes, France, since 1881, the court gave judgment in favor of Amar, and declared the deed to be a fictitious instrument.

Amar stated that he had bought the property in question from Meyer, who gave him a deed in June, 1905. The conveyance was witnessed in France, and Meyer forwarded from that country a deposition, taken before the American Consul-General at Marseilles, that he never executed any other conveyance of the property than that given to Amar. He stated, too, that he had never signed, acknowledged, or given a deed recorded here in 1904, which sets forth that he, in March, 1890, sold the property to Mrs. Martha Johnson for $1.

Smith, who has sold portions of the property to A. B. Clapp, W. J. Horne and others, since he took possession of it, about 1896, testified that he asked Mrs. Johnson in that year if she would sell him the property, and that she told him she was not sure she had any interest in it, but that she would look over her papers and see.

About a week later, he said, she informed him that she had a property right in the lot, and she sold it to him for $65. He could give no definite account of the deed from Meyer to Mrs. Johnson. Mr. Miller, a searcher for the Title Insurance and Trust Company, testified that he remembered being given the deed when he was looking up the title at the time of the sale to Smith. He could not remember who gave it to him.

The original deed has disappeared, and Notary Public George J. Clarke, before whom it purported to have been acknowledged, is dead, while Mrs. Swope, although subpoenaed to appear as a witness, did not answer the summons.

SON'S PETITION.

STEPFATHER OPPOSES.

Asserting that he is entirely without means, Arnold G. Cordes, a son of Mrs. Isabella Cappel and heir to one-half of her $50,000 estate, applied to Judge Rives yesterday for the immediate sale and division of $38,000 worth of land. His stepfather, Albert Cappel, administrator of the estate, opposed the granting of the petition for three months, when all creditors' claims will be settled, he says.

Mrs. Cappel, who died last July, was an heir to one-third of 100 acres of land, since known as the Zobelein Main Street tract, as she was incompetent to manage her own affairs, she deeded her interest to Mr. and Mrs. George Zobelein, who subdivided and sold the property. Zobelein recently placed in escrow for the estate deeds to one lot in the tract, valued at $38,000, and turned over $3500 in cash.

The court stated that when Cordes and his stepfather can reach an amicable agreement regarding the final distribution of the property, he will order the sale of the $38,000 lot.

ALLEY IS BLOCKED.

CONTRACTOR ASKS PASSAGE.

A twelve-foot strip of ground between Ninth and Tenth streets and at the end of the alley leading to Sunbury street was the subject of elaborate testimony in Judge James's court yesterday, when Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Pollard's injunction suit against Mr. and Mrs. John Rebman came to trial.

The Pollards, last fall, moved a cottage on the strip of ground in the rear of their lot, claiming that it is a part of the lot. Rebman objected, because the house cut off his access to the rear of his lot, facing Ninth street, and made it impossible for him to use his property for the storage of building material.

The Pollards say that Rebman made various threats of what he would do if the cottage were not moved, and that it was finally tipped over. They got a temporary restraining order.

Rebman presented a written agreement made with him by Col. Dunkelberger, owner of the tract in 1888, by which he is granted a right of way to the rear of his lot. He asserted that he has not allowed this right to lapse, as the Pollards aver, but has constantly used it. Many people living in the neighborhood were subpoenaed yesterday to testify in the case.

PARTNERS DIFFER.

MINING STOCKS SELL SLOWLY.

Partly because sales of Arizona and New South Mining Company stock have been unsatisfactory of late to J. L. Franck, partner of C. W. Pressley in a brokerage business, a suit was brought before Judge Wilbur by Franck to get a title from Pressley to a $1400 house and lot in the Vernon-avenue tract. The court granted Franck leave to amend his complaint and ordered the case to be reset for trial.

The plaintiff says he put $1000 into the brokerage business and that the defendant agreed to secure it by turning over to him his title to the real estate, but that he has never done so. The plaintiff further says that for some months Pressley paid to him the income from the property, but lately has not done so and has placed in the hands of other parties the agency for the mining stock.

Pressley asserts that he agreed to secure Franck's investment by putting deeds to his property in escrow until the plaintiff got back his $1000 from the sale of stock. The contract between the partners was to last until 30,000 shares were sold. It is alleged that Franck has failed to pay his half of advertising and office expenses. Among these latter items is mentioned a $100 bill for a personal "puff" for Franck, which, it is alleged, was inserted in a magazine without his partner's knowledge.

SINGER WINS SUIT.

CAFE OWNER WILL APPEAL.

"The orchestra and the pianist played such a poor accompaniment for me that I did not get a fair show," testified Miss Marie Scott, professional vocalist, before Justice Summerfield yesterday, in explaining the causes that led to the termination of her engagement at McKee's café, at No. 529 South Spring street.

She sued the proprietor for $50 damages. By her contract, she said, she was to receive $10 weekly for singing in his place, but the third evening she was discharged.

"I tried Miss Scott's voice at my hotel," testified W. P. Kahler, leader of the orchestra. "It was all right there, but it was not satisfactory in the café." The leader admitted that Miss Scott sang from a balcony so high that the violinist's bow struck the roof when he played there.

Justice Summerfield gave Miss Scott judgment for $10, and McKee said that he would appeal.

GETS A VERDICT.

MAIL CARRIER GIVEN DAMAGES.

A verdict of $5000 was returned by a jury in Judge Bordwell's court last evening, in favor of Harry H. Morgan, a mail carrier who sued the Los Angeles Pacific Railroad Company for $20,000 for personal injuries received on May 4.

He was riding on the step of a car which gave a lurch just as another one was passing and was knocked off and both of his legs were fractured.

COURTHOUSE NOTES.

BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

SANTA FE'S SUIT. Judge Monroe yesterday took under advisement the suit of the Santa Fé Railroad against the county of Los Angeles to recover $492 assessed in 1906 against the Pasadena Santa Fé terminal station building. The plaintiff asserted that the imposition of the tax was illegal, as the State Board of Equalization had made an assessment on its entire right of way. The defendant argued that the taxation of the terminal is a county and not a State matter.

CRUELTY. F. H. Potts, a contractor working in New York Valley, was convicted yesterday for the third time of cruelty to animals. Justice Selph fined him $100, which he paid. This week agents of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals killed three horses which he was using while unfit for work. L. P. Blackmire, a Hollywood baker, and J. J. Bailey, his driver, were fined and paid $10 and $5, respectively, in Justice Selph's court for working a sick horse.

HABEAS-CORPUS. As the District Attorney confessed the writ, Judge Monroe, in habeas-corpus proceedings, yesterday, ordered the release from custody of J. Anderson, D. White, and Jennie Goldsteen, who were held in the City Jail on suspicion. They were arrested Thursday morning at the Hotel Edison, a trunk full of valuables and a gambling layout being found in their room, it was alleged.

TRIALS SET. In Judge Wilbur's court yesterday Mrs. Lucy Lynch pleaded not guilty to passing a worthless check and her trial was set for May 21. R. F. Miller's trial on a burglary charge was set for May 4, and R. Delgado's trial on a grand larceny charge, for April 20.

CITY'S TITLE. Judge Hutton yesterday handed down a decision in favor of the city of Los Angeles in its suit against E. E. Burson to quiet title to the land at the intersection of First and Second streets.

NON-SUIT. Owing to the failure of the plaintiff to appear, Judge Hutton yesterday granted a non-suit in the case of Alma E. Neece against Adam M. Neece, and others, to set aside an alleged improper transfer of $10,000 worth of property by Neece to his sons. Mrs. Neece asserted that when she got a divorce from A. M. Neece, in October, 1906, she was awarded alimony and costs that she has been unable to collect because of the property transfer. Neece asserted that his former wife had settled for $500, in 1905, all her claims against his estate.

HIP FRACTURED. Mrs. Honora Farrell yesterday filed in the Superior Court a $7250 damage suit against Rivers Brothers' Company, of No. 311 Towne avenue, for a fractured hip joint sustained by her, she says, on July 27. She asserts that she slipped on fruit or vegetables lying on the sidewalk in front of the firm's store.

MINING DEAL. Alleging that false representations were made to him regarding deposits of tungsten ore in the Eagle mine in the Rand district, H. Y. Evans yesterday filed in the Superior Court a suit against R. G. Hoffman, and C. I. Sweet to recover $300, alleged to have been paid to them by him last October for an interest in the property. He also asks $710 damages for time lost.

TO COLLECT ASSETS. H. B. Rossiter, bankruptcy trustee of Desser & Lifrand, formerly of No. 4422 Central avenue, yesterday filed suit in the Superior Court against Goldner & Desser, of Nos. 406 and 2501 Central avenue to recover $9000 and an accounting of the bankrupt firm's merchandise, alleged to be in the possession of the defendants.

INCORPORATIONS. Articles of incorporation were filed with the County Clerk yesterday by the Keystone Dye Works and Laundry Company, capital stock, $25,000; the Tract No. 180 Water Company, capital stock, $12,500; Olivet Presbyterian Church of Los Angeles, and the California Newspaper Vending Machine Company, capital stock, $50,000.

PAROLED. Clyde C. Cobb was placed on three years' probation by Judge Wilbur yesterday. He pleaded guilty to burglarizing Roy Highland's room and stealing a suit of clothes.

LIQUOR'S FIGHT. Attorneys for twenty-two wholesale liquor dealers, legislated out of business last evening by the city zone ordinance, will apply to the Superior Court today for a writ of mandamus under which an attack will be made on the ordinance.

ECHO OF SHOOTING. Humane Officer Reynolds will leave San Francisco today for Los Angeles with seven-year-old Margaret Manes that Judge Wilbur may determine her mother's fitness to act as the child's guardian. The girl was shot in San Pedro recently by her mother's rejected suitor, Oracio Elgueta, who was subsequently killed by policemen.

WAGES SUIT. Judge Conrey yesterday gave judgment in favor of Bartolo Ballerino, whom Jesus Gonzalez sued for $624 balance alleged due on wages from August, 1903, to September, 1907.

CONTINUED. J. C. Henderson's examination on a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses, by the sale of Humboldt Brewing Company stock, was continued until April 20, by Justice Stephens yesterday.

CHICKEN RANCH ROW. Judge Houser yesterday heard evidence in O. L. Bashford's suit against D. N. Dake for $800, as the result of a dispute between the two men over possession of a 15-acre chicken ranch on Pacoima avenue, Edendale. Dake put in a counter claim against Bashford for $401. Bashford asserted that, in October, 1906, Dake agreed to complete the house and chicken yards on the ranch, supply water for irrigation and domestic uses, all seed for crops, and 500 chickens, and was to have one-half of all crops and fowls produced on the place in return, while Bashford was to do the work. It is alleged that Dake did not keep his agreement in any of these respects. He denies the alleged terms of the contract.

VARIETY.

TEACHER ENJOYS CROWDED HOURS.

LOCAL WOMAN'S EXPERIENCES BOTH SAD AND GAY.

Supervisor of Kindergartens Meets the President, Is Entertained by Famous Author and Is Saved from Railroad Accident Because Engineer Develops Sixth Sense.

"Like the 'leading lady in the play,' I had 'experiences both sad and gay,' quoth Miss Mary F. Ledyard, supervisor of Los Angeles kindergartens,

Miss Mary F. Ledyard, supervisor of kindergartens, Los Angeles public schools, who has just returned from the East.

anent her recent trip East as delegate to the National Congress of Mothers in Washington, D. C., as she greeted a Times reporter in her cosy little office at Olive-street school.

"In one brief month I met the President, his wife and daughter; was entertained by Gen. Bell, Chief of Staff, who chances to be my cousin (of course, I'm proud of the 'biggest policeman in the world;') met with the great Congress of Mothers—representative women of the United States—of whom Roosevelt said: 'I put this organization on a par with the Grand Army of the Republic as an institution commanding my respect and reverence;' visited kindergartens in Washington and New York; was entertained by the fascinating Kate Douglas Wiggin at her home in the big metropolis; and last, but not least, had at least one 'hairbreadth 'scape by field and flood.' There! That sounds exactly like a Beatrice Herford monologue, doesn't it? But I've just finished the 'tenthly' of my official report, and it is a relief not to be 'deadly consequential' for a minute or two!

"Seriously, though," she went on, "one feels keenly the honor which the President did the delegates in entertaining them informally at the White House. In addition to this, having been introduced by Gen. Bell, I had the precious opportunity of private conversation with the great man, and took it upon my humble self to tell him how loyal all our great West is to him. He looked every inch the enthusiastic soldier—his eyes actually sparkled at that; but when I went on: 'And how we wish—we wish—you'd consent to enter the race again.' His eyes filled, and he shook his head with a sad 'No! No!'

"Several of the foreign embassies extended their hospitality to the Mothers' Congress people, and many members of the embassies attended the meetings and became very enthusiastic over the movement, declaring, some of them, that they should see to it that an investigation of the work was made by their own countrymen, with a view to introducing it into the schools of their respective countries. Of course, all this is very encouraging. In fact, the organization is gaining recognition, is, in short, one with which other women's clubs are becoming anxious to fraternize, as was sure to happen, indeed, since it has for its foundation the eternal rock of motherhood, and high, fixed and definite aims."

In New York Miss Ledyard was the guest of her friend and one-time coworker in the kindergarten field, Kate Douglas Wiggin, whom she described as "as young and charming as ever."

The "hairbreadth" escape was down in Alabama, where an engineer with the sixth sense instinctively halted his train one pitch-dark night on the edge of a washout.

FEDERAL GRAND JURY.

The Federal grand jury made a partial report yesterday to Judge Wellborn in the United States District Court. Indictments were returned against David Levy, alias Lewis, for sending defamatory letters through the mails, and against Jim Sing, José Cervantes and Roman Fera for selling liquor to reservation Indians.

ANACONDA DIVIDEND.

NEW YORK, March 31.—Directors of the Anaconda Copper Mining Company declared a quarterly dividend of 50 cents per share. This is unchanged from the last previous quarter.

The auxiliary cruiser Prairie which went aground in the Delaware River off the League Island Navy Yard last Saturday, was floated yesterday afternoon. She was not damaged.

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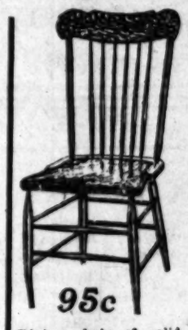

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At this point crosscuts will be run both ways to determine the value of the 150-foot ore body exposed on the surface. This body sampled nearly all the ton according to the expert upon which the property was purchased.

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The Oro Belle and Oro Belle Fractional, owned by the original discoverers of the camp, have passed into the possession of Andrews and Marsh, the owners of Hart. The bond was taken by March 1 and Andrews immediately paid for Duluth to interest capitalists in the property. He returned a few days after meeting with complete success and made the first payment as provided by the bond. The figures of the deal were given out, but the first payment is substantial in amount. Two shifts of men have been placed at work stoping and it is the intention of the new owners to develop by a deep shaft as soon as surface work develops the best point to commence operations. The property has been incorporated under the name of the Oro Belle Mines Company of California, with a capital of $2,000,000.

Another item of interest, which has a direct bearing upon the future development of Hart, is the organization of the Hart Consolidated Mining Company, which has acquired the Fairview No. 1, Providence and Providence No. 1 claims, lying directly to the north of the original Oro discoveries and upon the same system of veins. The ground takes in the high ridge south of Oro Hill and can be economically developed by tunnels. Little work has been done upon the property as the surface indications are ideal with those of its more developed neighbors to the south. The capitalization of the new company is $1,000,000, the officers being as follows: President, George Foster; vice-president, H. S. McCall and W. L. Foster, secretary. Active development will be commenced within the next ten days.

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The new cyanide plant is being erected with all possible haste, and it is believed that it will be in commission by July 1. Its completion will make available about 60,000 tons of tailings, which are said to average in the neighborhood of $4. When this material has been reduced, the plant will be altered to permit of the handling of the slimes, of which there is also a large accumulation. The work is in the hands of the Blaisdell Tunneling Company of Los Angeles and ten men are employed at the present time.

The Quartette mine has paid nearly $1,000,000 in dividends, upon a capitalization of a like amount. The stock is held by well-known Boston capitalists, including Col. Hopkins, Creech Bates, and was quoted as high during last year. Since then the Searchlight property has been purchased at a considerable expense, and the contract let for the new cyaniding plant was, therefore, necessary to pay the last three dividends, and the stock's quotation has run down to $10, which the last transfer was made.

It is believed that the regular dividends will be resumed as soon as the new plant has been placed in commission. The Duplex mine is employing twelve men, and is sending ore forward to Salt Lake smelters. The mill is being thoroughly overhauled, and it is expected that the work will be completed in the next month. A larger force of men will then be employed.

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Examined Johnnie.

A party, consisting of Manager Doubleday, C. F. Cole of Chicago, M. Leitner of Minnesota and T. J. Howard and Fred Beau de Zart of this city, has just returned from a visit of inspection to the Johnnie mine. The latter, who is well known as a conservative and successful engineer, examined the workings from one end to the other, and is authority for the statement that there is enough ore now in sight to keep the sixteen stamps of the new mill running for five years.

Four continuous chutes of good milling ore have been developed from the 200 down to the 700-foot level, and in a three-foot breast at the lowest level values up to $300 per ton are being obtained. The ore, which was a white sugar quartz at the 200-foot level has undergone some change at the lower levels, and shows on the 700 as a red chrystalline quartz. A surface chute, known locally as the "Boarding-house Chute," carries values of from $6 to $12 on the surface, but no attempt has yet been made to develop this at depth. On the 400-foot level a drift has been run to within 450 feet of the Crown Point Johnnie line, and at that point the rich Treasure vein has been picked up.

Beau de Zart says that the new stamp mill is one of the best pieces of work he has ever seen, and that it cannot be surpassed anywhere in the West. All sixteen stamps are now dropping continuously on Johnnie ore, with excellent results. Each stamp weighs 1600 pounds, and drops 100 times to the minute.

HOLIDAYS.

SHIP OFFICERS FOR THE BALL.

NAVY CAN SPARE ONLY TWO HUNDRED OF ITS WALTZERS.

Everybody Must Pay to Get Into Chutes or Agricultural Park Entertainments for the Fleet—General Funds Is Still Five Thousand Short. What of Japanese at Banquet?

No "deadheads" will be admitted to either the Chutes or Agricultural Park when the sailors are entertained with what Capt. Vreeland of the Kansas calls the finest programme of any he has seen since the battleships left Hampton Roads. The decision to "suspend the free list" was reached at the meeting of the Executive Committee of the Fleet Committee yesterday. Every citizen, from the Mayor down, will pay. Schoolchildren will be admitted to each park for 10 cents.

Four hundred officers cannot be spared for the ball. Capt. Ingersoll of the Connecticut informed the Mayor, through Secretary Elliott, that 200 will be at the dancing function, while sixty will attend the banquet.

Owing to the arrangements for the attendance at the banquet being so fully advanced, the committee found itself in some difficulty with regard to the attendance of four prominent Japanese, and the matter was referred to the invitation subcommittee.

Chairman Woolwine of the Finance Committee reported that the fund is still $5000 short, while Gen. Wankowski mentioned that those people who were hanging back in applying for tickets to the ball might find themselves left. Early response to the invitations was advised.

Having been informed directly from the fleet that cash prizes for the winners of the naval boxing championships would be popular, Chairman Flint of the Committee on Reception of the 14,000 Enlisted Men, obtained the sanction of the committee to "hanging up purses." The loving cups would be presented to the ships to which the winners were attached, he said. Flint also stated that the vaquero outfits were on the way from Arizona.

The committee decided to ask all merchants and business men to close their premises Tuesday, April 21, so that the employés may have a chance to join in the festivities.

Chairman Humphries of the Decoration Committee reported he had engaged the letter carriers' band to play in Central Park on each of the four evenings of the fleet's stay. Probably bands from the ships will be stationed at other sections.

The Reception Committee which will go to San Diego to meet Admiral Evans will be composed of Gen. Adna R. Chaffee, Gen. Wankowski, Col. Neville, Lieut. Miner and Joseph Scott.

DOG POISONER BUSY.

Valuable Boston Terriers Meet Sudden Death Through Eating Doctored Food on the Streets.

"Miss Ruby," a beautiful Boston bull terrier, one of the finest dogs of its kind on the Pacific Coast, was killed by the poison route early yesterday morning.

The dog was the property of James Schneider, manager of a local transfer company. She had been shown at Venice and other bench exhibits and was valued at $1000. Yesterday the dog roamed from its master's home at No. 1016 Ingraham street. Some one had placed poisoned meat in a convenient place and the dog ate it and died.

The killing of Schneider's dog is the second of the kind within the past week. "Rosamond," a valuable show Boston terrier of the Brooks kennels, was fed poisoned meat on South Figueroa street last Wednesday.

WOMEN'S CONVENTION.

The county convention of the Women's Christian Temperance Union will meet in Pasadena Christian Church on April 28, 29 and 30. An earlier date had been chosen, but, on account of the fleet festivities, it was changed. Business sessions will be held on Tuesday, the 28th, both morning and afternoon. In the evening, addresses of welcome will be delivered by Mayor Early and Rev. F. M. Dowling, and Judge Wilbur will deliver an address on "Prison Reform and the Juvenile Court." A full programme is prepared for each session, and the address of Mrs. Hester Griffith, county president, will be delivered on Wednesday evening. The convention will close on Thursday evening with a debate by High School pupils.

500 Different Kinds of a Face.

Picture the President of the United States in 500 different attitudes, 500 different expressions, and watch for the supplement which is to come with the Sunday Times of April 5. It is a study from life of the strenuous existence of a "strenuous" man.

THE OIL INDUSTRY.

WILL STANDARD BUY GRACIOSO?

Reports from North Say the Combine Is in Market.

Crocker Company's Refinery and Japanese Contract.

Associated and Union Out of Informal Trust.

According to San Francisco and Santa Barbara reports not yet fully confirmed, the Standard is negotiating for the Graciosa's holdings at Santa Maria. Oil circles seemed disposed to credit the story.

In the first place the Standard is after land and oil wells. That is absolutely established. Second, the Standard wants as few rivals as possible in the refining business; it wants a monopoly, or as near to that as it can have with the Union and the Los Angeles independents on its hands, and if the people back of the Graciosa should succeed in their plans it will have less of a monopoly than ever.

Besides this, the Graciosa is in a position where it may be willing to sell if it gets fair terms. Its wells have recently been having a lot of water troubles, which has caused production to decline greatly. At present, efforts, said to be apparently successful, are being made to shut it off. This, however, is costly. On the other hand, there is a vast territory undrilled that may readily make up for this, even if the present wells are not restored to the best condition. This may well prove a temptation to the Standard to buy, at the same time an incentive to the Graciosa to sell.

The Graciosa has a big contract for ten years to fill in Japan. There has been much difficulty about this. It was generally supposed when it was made at a little over 40 cents a barrel that the Union and Associated would share in it, but, it appears that they did not bind themselves to do so and when oil went up they refused. There are a number of interesting tales going the rounds. There are stories of how H. J. Crocker, of the Graciosa; General Manager Porter of the Associated, and President Stewart of the Union, going to Japan in quest of business, met on the steamer and, like true American financiers, formed an informal trust and left the bidding to the Graciosa. But when later the price went up the three failed to agree. Some oil has been shipped to Japan already but not nearly as much as the contract calls for, it is said. While the price is low the Standard, with its immense refinery, might be able to do very well by sending the residuum after having obtained a profit from products of the lighter properties.

Western Union Well.

The Western Union has just brought its No. 33 about a mile south of its drilled section. It is said to be an excellent one, 2800 feet deep, less than some of the older ones that went below 3000. This is believed to have caused the water trouble which has been encountered on many Santa Maria properties during the past year, especially the south end, on the Western Union, Graciosa and Newlove (Union.) Last reports say that it has been found in some of the wells in the northern portion.

The entire water problem has been placed in a committee's hands with full power to act. Cementing is employed extensively and water pumped out. Operators say the problem is different from that at Kern River. All successful solutions of the water problem will be watched with the utmost interest throughout the State.

Oil Bill Favorably Reported.

The Chamber of Mines has received letters from Senator Flint and Representative Smith in regard to the oil lands bill. The Senator advises under date of the 25th ult., that the House Committee reported favorably on the 24th and that prospects are very bright for its passage. It has been amended by the committee so as to apply to California only. Mr. Smith, under date of the 23d, wrote that he then hoped for the favorable action since taken. Through some one's blunder the Interior Department first reported adversely, but when the matter was again presented the report was changed to favorable, but the mistake set action back a week. The outline of the bill's provisions was published some time ago.

The Chamber of Mines urges all persons interested to write personal letters to Messrs. Smith and Flint, and any other Senators or Congressmen they may know, urging the enactment of this bill. The Bakersfield Board of Trade has given its indorsement and the Independent Producers' Agency is expected to take it up at its coming annual meeting.

Reed Crude Will Improve.

The Reed Crude Oil Company has levied an assessment of 6 cents a share delinquent tomorrow under the legal notice. This money is to be used for developing the company's remaining holdings in Kern River, with a view to their sale. These comprise three tracts, viz: 160 acres, section 20-28-28; 100 acres, section 34-28-28; 40 acres, section 20-29-28, a total of 300 acres. All this is within the oil belt, although some is near the edge. It is undeveloped, with the exception of a 500-foot discovery well on section 20, in which a very heavy petroleum was found. This was put down some seven years since. Near-by wells are 1200 to 1400. These lands constitute the property retained when the company put its developed holdings into the Associated at the latter's organization. By the sale of its shares in the combine it has paid dividends over a million in amount, the second highest in the State, and has never before assessed its stockholders.

West Side Shipments.

The Bakersfield papers state that a second train to McKittrick has been put on to handle the heavy oil shipments. Sunset has now a daily train to Bakersfield and three or four cars of Southern Pacific and Santa Fé fuel and more for the Salt Lake come out each trip, besides many cars of commercial oil. The Salt Lake is reported to have lately sent forty-five cars up for loading with fuel.

ECHO OF OLD FIGHT.

Prospect Park Methodist Church Files a Suit to Get Title from Former Officers.

The officers of Prospect Park Methodist Church yesterday entered suit in the Superior Court to quiet title to their church and parsonage property in that place.

The title of the suit is: "The Prospect Park Methodist Church against W. O. Jackson, W. S. Sutton, E. C. Gird, E. P. Blackburn, G. W. Albright and G. P. Lyman." The complaint sets forth that these men have no right, title or interest in the church property, and asks that the title be perfected in the name of the church.

Not so very long ago a split occurred among the members of the congregation, and the officers named as defendants in this suit withdrew from the congregation. Before they left, an officer of the church says, it was decided to sell the church property and locate closer to the electric railway. Recently the present officers received an offer for the parsonage, and they decided to sell it, but when they undertook to give title, it came to light that the old officers had the deed made in their individual names, and they refused to sign the deed, hence the suit to quiet title.

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Editorial Pen Points

Remember the date on the calendar, and whatever you do don't take any bad money.

April Fools' Day should be welcome to us all, it being the one day of the year that hits everybody.

The people like to hear Bryan talk because what he says does not put them to the trouble of thinking.

Somebody ought to make Hayti behave, and Germany is probably as well able to do it as anybody.

The noise at Stanford having ceased, we take it that some of the kids have been sent home for a spanking.

The "wane" of the Taft boom continues to make the other candidates wish it were a wane that really waned.

Evidently "Die wacht am Rhein" also includes a watch over the diplomats slated from other countries for Berlin.

There are so many colored men in Hayti that it is perhaps particularly difficult to tell which is the one in the wood pile.

Venezuela has fined the asphalt trust $10,000,000, but she will probably have to hire some foreign warships to collect it.

One would almost think from the prohibition utterances of Father Coffey of St. Louis that he had taken something stronger.

The Home Rule question is up again in the British Parliament. We trust it has not come up merely to go down, as usual.

It is rumored that Anna Gould is suffering from nervous prostration. She doubtless fears to face the dear Prince without the sack.

Judging from the store windows the sailors will not have it to say that our poets and musicians failed to welcome them with a song.

All Fighting Bob has to do is to sink into a nice warm, soft bed of San Luis Obispo mud and forget that he ever had an ache or a pain.

Atty.-Gen. Jackson appears to bear several of the earmarks of the average Hearst political product, not to say anything meaner about him.

We have said there are already too many laws, but if there is none to deport anarchists we take back what we said and humbly apologize.

Mr. Bryan should not be too severely censured for talking so much. He can no more help it than a college boy can help rolling up his pants.

The Pied Piper of Hamlin wasn't a marker to what Citizen James Jeffries will be when the sailormen throng the sunlit highways of the City of the Angels.

What the fool said in his heart and what he said when he kicked the hat with a brick under it contained some of the same words only they were used differently.

The reports from the Gould family in New York indicate that Prince De Sagan can find a good many reasons for holding a First of April celebration himself.

His speech at Kansas City demonstrates that we cannot expect anything new from Mr. Bryan. He has nothing up his sleeve but the same old stock of platitudes and epithets.

We see no reason why Taft shouldn't also jump into Pennsylvania and tear a few holes in the Knox boom, which is a boom inflated entirely by the surplus wind of politicians.

As far as we can learn, all that Anna Gould wanted from the folks at home was a mere trifle of five or six millions and they were penurious enough not to give it to her.

The fleet considers itself fortunate that it will be able to decide who is the best man in it according to the judgment of a competent referee in the person of James J. Jeffries.

Mr. Bryan wants the nation to commit the crime of cutting the poor, unprepared Filipinos loose to shift for themselves. Bryan's judgment is as shaky as an aspen leaf in the wind.

Henry Watterson says that prohibition never yet made a man sober. Then there must be something else than booze that he can jag up on in the districts where prohibition is in force.

When the ships are stretched all the way from Santa Monica to Long Beach we dare say that the spectacle will exceed in magnificence anything of the kind in the memory of the oldest seagull on the coast.

Just as the sun begins to slant on the afternoon of Saturday, the eighteenth, the fleet will ride into the sun-harbored town of San Pedro. We are sorry for the man, woman or child who can't be there that day.

No doubt boys will be yelling today, "Hey, mister, your wheel's goin' round," just as they did one hundred years ago. But we think there are a great many more fools now than there were one hundred years ago.

CLEAN UP, DRESS UP!

There have been crowds in Los Angeles before, but nothing like this billed for the end of the month. Thousands, tens of thousands. They will come here with great expectations. They are coming for the most part because they have heard so much about this city, its beaches and its sister cities. The name of Los Angeles is almost as universally known as that of Paradise. The people have about the same conception of one place as of the other. Many will come fully expecting to get at least a glimpse of what the primeval Eden was, and of what the New Jerusalem is to be.

These expectations must not be disappointed. When the Queen of Sheba came to Jerusalem of old and beheld the splendors of King Solomon, she could say, "The half had not been told me." That is the impression Los Angeles should make on her host of visitors. A Frenchman is said to have stood by Niagara for the first time and to have said, "Magnifique." That was something. A bride saw the mighty flood rush over the precipice and said, "How pretty!" That was worse. Sheba's verdict is what we are looking for. "The half had not been told me" must express the impression Los Angeles makes.

Nature is doing her full share for us. Southern California will throw the big fleet with all the colors "floating in the wind" and all lights ablaze into the shade. Oh! think of the poppies on the hillside, the mustard on the plain, the willows by the brook, the orange groves in bloom, the hedges trimmed with roses, the mountain peaks capped with snow, the foam of the breakers on the headlands, the golden sunlight over all, the stars at night, the glow all day, the splendid city with its tens of thousands of lawns, its millions of flowers, its artistic bungalows, and palaces fit for a king.

There will be no fear of holes in our coats, but what about straws in the streets? The thoroughfares should look like a Holland housekeeper's kitchen floor. Every lawn should be in neatest trim. "Fling out your banners high and wide, skyward and seaward let them float." This is not a case of the rebel Macbeth with his "banners on the outer wall." This is a welcome to the fleet and Old Glory should make the "circumambient air" put the poppy-decked hillside to the blush.

Think of the combination. First will come the sixteen battleships with flags flying, with lights gleaming at night, with their white sides shining like the face of the schoolboy pictured by melancholy Jacques. There will be the thousands of sailor boys in best "bib and tucker," hat as wide as a "merry widow," and legs of trousers as wide as the hats. There will be all Southern California, from the silver sands by the shore where the ripples roll or the breakers roar, to the gleaming caps of snow on the peaks; plains all pied with flowers of a thousand hues, from the spotless daisy and the blue violet to the golden glory of the mustard and the fire-flame of the poppy. There will be city vying with city, village with village, all culminating with Los Angeles in all her queenly beauty—and the crowning glory of it all 100,000 pretty daughters of this land of the sun.

Come now, let there not be a crease in any part of this gorgeous raiment the city shall put on for her greatest holiday in all her history. Let there be no spot or wrinkle seen in a thousand miles or on a hundred thousand persons. Let smiles as sunny as our clime be on every face and a welcome as hearty as that of the mocking-bird to the dawn on every lip!

DEPORTATION? YES. BUT WHAT OF THE FOUNTAIN?

The rabid, red-tongued anarchists, preachers of sedition, as well as those who hurl bombs, must go, or subside. If this policy is not put in practice today it will be tomorrow. At the core this people believe in law—in just law at that. The government is just, the laws are fair, the administration of the laws is equal. There is no reason for anarchy here, and there shall be no room for the preaching or practice of it.

So much must be clear to all who understand the sentiments and the temperament of the American people. They will demand of the authorities that these Ishmaelites from Russia, Poland and Syria shall not come here with an ingrained hatred of government in their hearts and visit on a just people, under a just government, the sins of the unjust governments under which they have conceived their anarchistic sentiments.

This is certainly the temperament of the American people. But let us suppose that this programme is carried out to the full, what will be the result? Suppose unusual vigilance is practiced in the future and that this very objectionable type is kept out of the country, shall we then be entirely rid of the disease? Manifestly not. The grip is said to be a malignant form of influenza which originated in Africa and spread from there along the Levant to Russia, thence westward until it reached us. The virus is here and would remain for a long time if all immigration were cut off. The virus of anarchy is like that of a physical disease. It is here and will persist for years if we never permit a foreign foot to be set on our shores.

Theoretical socialists, of the reflective, philosophical class, are indignant when socialism and anarchy are classed under one head. A practical world has no time for fine-spun theories and hair-splitting, academic definitions. Unreflective people do not try to grasp these differences. The intelligent labor-union man manifests a similar indignation when classed with socialists. He fails to make a close analysis of the sentiments openly given forth in the violent mouthings of his own leaders. Thousands of these are misguided into following men whose sentiments are violent, and whose expressions are as incendiary as those of Debs or Emma Goldman.

The virus of anarchy is inherent in socialism as preached and practiced by most of the avowed socialists. The virus of this revolutionary, violent socialism is inherent in nearly all leaders in labor-unionism. The demagogue panders to this.

It will do but little good to deport Emma Goldman and the other pronounced reds so long as Debs is left to spread the seeds of anarchy. If Debs were gone the evil work would be carried on by Haywood and his class. Haywood may be too shrewd to throw bombs with his own hand. But he can always find an Orchard to do that part of the work. He only furnishes the torch. His dupes apply it. The demagogue furnishes the match.

The situation is grave to the point of being alarming. The flaming specter rises threatening and bold beyond anything heretofore known in this country. The events of these most recent days are arresting the attention of all men who see that civilization can exist only under the protection of law. The subconscious sense of the people is becoming awake. There is no fear that the torch is about to be applied to our homes and our citizens strung up to lamp-posts or hustled off to a guillotine. There is in no city a sufficient number of lawless people to create a Reign of Terror.

But the question is, How far will this awakened sense of danger and of responsibility carry the people? Shall we lop off the limbs of the upas tree and leave the roots in the soil to spring into new life and put us to the trouble of keeping forever hewing at the new growth, or shall the root be removed? Vary the simile. The stream of our national life is polluted. The poison endangers the nation. What must be done? Shall we merely construct a settling plant where the foulness of the sewage of Europe may be taken out, or shall we go to the fountain of our national life and follow it to the homes of the people and see that it is kept pure at all points?

Deport the Goldmans and leave Debs? What is gained? Silence Debs and permit Haywood to pollute the stream? How much nearer safety are we? The mails are closed to La Question Sociale at Paterson. The police will not permit Miss Goldman to preach sedition in Chicago. We have done something. We are alarmed. But are we ready to do enough? From the settling tank we have taken gross pollution, but the stream is being contaminated still.

If we are ready to enjoy the peace under just laws which once prevailed all over America we shall have to go much farther than deportation. We shall be obliged to go farther than any law can go. We may deport the bomb-throwers and the torch-carriers, but that task will be endless until as a people we return to the same principles which made this people the great power in civilization they are. Law will not do that altogether. The popular sentiment has become contaminated with the germs of incipient socialism. To return to that perfect safety the country once enjoyed it will be necessary to rid the popular mind of these dangerous germs. By law you may deport Emma Goldman; by law you may hold Debs and Haywood within the bounds of decency. But the Goldman woman will have her successors and the Haywood incendiary his so long as the blatant demagogue is tolerated, yes, supported, in political office and as the publisher of a newspaper by you, the public. From Bryan and La Follette, Hearst and U'Ren there is only a step to P. H. McCarthy and E. A. Tveitmoe; from them a step to Haywood and Debs; and one more step to Goldman and Most. Just so long as the first quartette is encouraged by public countenance and support in virtually and in effect denouncing all persons who own property as predatory, all corporations as trusts, you will have the other combinations joining in the chorus.

If mutual confidence is ever to return to this country in the same security as heretofore it will be brought by the people putting the stigma of their disapproval upon this crusade in favor of any class, against any class, excepting for the law-abiding class and against the law-breaking class. It will be by returning to a just appreciation of the value of our republican form of government and ceasing to tolerate the demagogic office-seeker, the demagogic newspaper publisher, and the demagogic "reformer" who would convert our government into a mob democracy, with mob-made laws to permit one class to do acts for which other classes shall be sent to jail. It will be necessary to get firmly fixed in our minds once more the fundamental principle that every man may pursue his course in life in conformity to one law for all, to make what he can under this law, to keep what he will of his gains, as an inalienable right, not to be taken from him by confiscation, whether by a mob or by process of unjust law.

"SOU' BY SOU'WEST."

"Don't keer where you put me—
Anywhere will do,
So it's somewhere 'tween the Pecos
And the old Pacific's blue;
Put me there and leave me,
In the land I love the best,
A-baskin' in the lovin' sun—
Sou' by sou'west.

"Sou by sou'west—
That's the place for me,
Anywhere from Texas,
'Cross the deserts to the sea;
From the old Aztec pueblos
To Shasta's snowy crest—
It's a fine land that God made,
Sou' by sou'west."

The dispatches in yesterday's issue of The Times told a marvelous story of the still more marvelous growth of New Mexico. They told how the oldest inhabited spot in the United States—a spot that had a government when Plymouth Rock was yet a stranger to the feet of the Pilgrim Fathers—is awakening from the slumber of countless centuries of dreams into a new life of progress, commerce, and twentieth century activities. It is learned that New Mexico is leading every State and Territory of the Union in the establishment of new postoffices, which fact proves that population in the old land of sun and silence and mystery is advancing at a tremendous pace. The next Federal census is certain to show that New Mexico has people and to spare to entitle her to pin her star on the flag and to take her place among the immortal sisterhood of the States.

It is only a few weeks ago that The Times took great delight in calling attention to the fact that Arizona had achieved the lead in the race for the copper supremacy of the world. And in the late Midwinter Number of this journal statistics were produced that showed the progress of both Arizona and New Mexico to be most astonishing. The peoples of those territories—ever drawing unto themselves more and still more people with every passing moon—are rushing along the pathways of commercial and moral achievement with such strength and vigor and certainty as to challenge the imagination. Where but what seems like yesterday the traveler looking from the windows of a railway car saw nothing but desolate wastes of sand and lonely flame-painted hills, he sees today green fields and valleys deep with clover, and towns that sprang into existence almost in a night. Tomorrow he shall see cities where today there are villages and the ancient pueblos of the gentle people of the past. In the hills, long silent, there shall be the roar of engines and the smoke of smelters turning into silver and copper and gold the hidden treasures of the earth. In addition to that, think of the unparalleled progress of California of the South, and you will behold the giant Southwest rise on the vision like the sunrise of destiny.

Withal, the Southwest shall ever remain the land of charm and beauty. It shall still attract to it the human heart with a fascination that neither time nor commerce can destroy. The same blue skies, faithful the whole year long, shall still bend above us and lure to themselves whoever seeks contentment, health and wealth. Still, as of old, shall the souls of wanderers—elate with the joy of life—stand on Glorietta's crest of glory and look down on the land of promise and of peace.

IN DEFENSE OF CONDUCTORS.

If there is a more long-suffering class on the face of the globe than the street-car conductors we're from Missouri. The latest attack on the "move along please" class comes from the home of chivalry, Atlanta, Ga. Telegrams state that society women in the southern city have petitioned the conductors to refrain from assisting them off the cars. It is not that the ladies do not desire to have the help afforded by a man's strong arm. Far from it; what they object to is having a dirty palm placed so firmly in the small of the back that a "relief map of the conductor's mit"—to use the choice term of the sender of the dispatch—is left upon a heretofore immaculate white shirt waist.

Now this story from Georgia is asserted to be true. There is no "alleged," or "it is said" about it; it is given as the fact. Despite the directness of the statement we refuse to believe it and are in favor of giving the conductors a clean bill of health—and clean hands. The reason for being so positive on the subject is that we defy any conductor to get close enough to a woman wearing a "Merry Widow" hat—and no "society woman" can afford to be without one—to touch her waist, much less to get his arm half way around it. The thing is as much an impossibility as it would be to get close to a lady in a crinoline. Anyhow the new-fangled "sailor" is only a flattened crinoline, placed coquettishly on a "bang and a bun."

CAP AND BELLS.

If Carlyle was right and this world is composed of many people, mostly fools, nobody need feel lonely today celebrating the anniversary with gag and gayety, with josh and joke. Before the moon shows his new face, with his tongue making a mountain on the side of his cheek, many people will have found to their sorrow that this is the day of laughter—especially for the small boy who, in the words of a wag, "seeketh to trippe ye wayfarer by a laboured jest," or offers his little sister an enticing packet of candy liberally sprinkled with cayenne pepper, as fearsome a condiment as the Century Dictionary's chili pepper.

It has been remarked by many learned people, including a writer in The Times Magazine, that Shakespeare, who usually mirrored the life and customs of the age with marked fidelity, makes no allusion to All Fools' Day. We desire to point out to this correspondent that while the great Bard of Avon does not seem to have been impressed with the advantages that the day afforded for some of his comedy characters, like Touchstone and Dogberry, yet if one would like to know what Falstaff has to say about April fools let him find it in "Henry IV," act 5, scene 6. A searcher of the scriptures has also reminded us that all the Bible has to say on the subject will be found in I Samuel, xvi, 24.

THE FOOL AND HIS FOLLY.

THE UNEMPLOYED.

The unemployed man who in the City chamber Monday suggested a scene in Los like that last Saturday in Union Square, N made two mistakes. First the covert th grossly wrong, and should disqualify h made it from any employment under the c second mistake is in taking Los Angeles f York. Any man who essays the role of thrower here will find employment prompt

The stringent times of the last few mon brought trouble to many worthy people wh be glad to earn a living if they could fin The City Council acted nobly and humanel ing what was possible to relieve this distre

The best news of all comes with assuranc many quarters that the worst is over. dispatches tell us that in a few weeks mo will be work for all who wish to work. railroads are in the market for 300,000 men up the work checked by hard times.

There will be unemployed for all that. are always unemployed. In some instances a fault, in most a misfortune. The purpos are not many at the worst. But there ar who lack energy and initiative to find work hang about cities and otherwise stay rooted place as if they were merely vegetable Here in Southern California today there ar white men idle than need be. There are Japs except those who prefer to be idle. may be hard for some. They are for the holder of moderate means who does her ow ordinarily, but must have some one to clea now and then. The hardness of the times appears in the charge of 25 cents an hour, silver dollars for an eight-hour day, to a wash windows and beat carpets. Orchard forced to fall back on Japanese to pick and would be glad to hire willing whites.

There are men of three-score and ten city who are not used to manual labor, b have nerve and initiative enough if need be up the toe-path along the country roads a a job rather than beg or talk of bomb-throw

HOROSCOPE.

Wednesday, April 1, 1908.

For men and air and sea together.
The stars betoken stormy weather.

There will be two new moons this month cury and Saturn rising before the sun at t new moon, have an influence for stormy at sea, particularly over the Eastern Atlanti position also foreshadows political exciteme ing the month.

Over Germany and Austria the lunation oc square to Uranus and Neptune, both of ill e rulers. Uranus holds the mid-heaven over and Vienna.

Over the latitude and longitude of New the lunation, occurring on the lower meridi notes that danger threatens against house pa and there will be agitation against those w uppermost. The sun in quartile to Jupiter for disturbances of the earth, the influence most marked during the latter part of the over Southern Europe.

Venus is in perihelion this day, the 92d day year and the 12th day of spring. The infl are unfavorable, particularly in the early p this period. Dealings between the sexes a under lucky signs.

A good day for baking, but neither auspicio the reverse for other household undertakings

Travel and change await the woman whose date this is. A disappointment in love may to the young.

The man with this birthdate is menaced b suits springing from an unnecessary dispute.

The girl born this day will be overgenero those whom she loves, despite her better ment.

The boy born today will be willful and incli change without sufficient reason.

More About Him.

Robinson Crusoe had just discovered footprints on his island.

He followed them up.

They led him to a knoll overlooking the which somebody had put up a billboard wit inscription painted upon it:

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Owing to the avarice and greed of the pa ers, however, who refused to incorporate th cident in the story unless paid regular adver rates, it was omitted, and the book went to in the garbled and incomplete form with the reading public is familiar.—[Chicago Tri

A FELLOW FEELING.

I've tried each blooming breakfast fad,
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Till I think of the food poor Luther had—
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—[April Lippincot

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MUSIC AND THE STAGE.

Alice Treat Hunt,
leading woman at the Bal
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...on—and some night sessions, ...last curtain on "Facing the ... are promised for the weary p...

...is good news that Howard S... to be entrusted with the Sheri... created by that superb chara... Mr. Frank Keenan. Lewis ... have the leading man's part, ... Miss Hunt will be assigned "... as she is named in the ca... pure-minded but venturesome ... tor of the Polka saloon.

...eorge B. Snyder and Harry Bu... in "The Street Musicians," s... be the real heads of the current ... the Orpheum. Their fun is sp... eous and is marked by considerv... ginality. They do not pounce u... ularity at the rise of the curt... after the first five minutes th... ences seems wholly theirs. ... similar effectiveness are the co... ities of James Carroll and Will ...ke, with their hilarious "Hoo... ...la."

...lla Fox occupies a pathetic pi... ...ong the music-hall stars, for, in... adoxical manner of speech, her ... seems all behind her. Her vo... ...ich pales from year to year, ...ndled into actual insignifican... ...ugh the spirit of comedy still ... ...es her, and her good stage pr... ... and self-possession remain ... ...se.

...lympia Desvall, with her trai... ...ses and dogs, furnishes a thorou... first-class act of the sort, and ... ...e may be said of the Montr... ...nily, dexterous acrobatic tears. ... holdovers are Polly Pick... ...a, "La Sylphe," and Fred Wat... ...d the Morrissey sisters.

...arold Bauer's second concert h... ...ich will given next Monday ev... ...at Simpson Auditorium, deserve... ...ter attendance than his first rec... ...hough the lateness of the sea... ...d a sort of surfeit of pianistic ... ...is certainly accountable for ... ...nt audience of last Monday nigh...

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MUSIC AND THE STAGE.

Alice Treat Hunt, new leading woman of the Belasco Theater, has had an extensive experience in California as an actress, and has won many laurels in San Francisco.

The commenced rehearsals yesterday morning, for her initial appearance at Monday night in "The Girl of the Golden West."

Frederic Belasco will arrive today, and will supervise the remaining rehearsals of his brother's play, which will be under the immediate supervision of Stuart Bosworth. The individual Belasco method of preparation calls for close attendance on the part of the actors from early morning until 6 in the afternoon—and some night sessions, after which the last curtain on "Facing the Music," are promised for the weary players.

It is good news that Howard Scott is to be entrusted with the Sheriff, a role created by that superb character actor, Frank Keenan. Lewis Stone will have the leading man's part, and Miss Hunt will be assigned "The Girl," as she is named in the cast—the pure-minded but venturesome proprietor of the Polka saloon.

George B. Snyder and Harry Buckley, in "The Street Musicians," seem to be the real heads of the current bill at the Orpheum. Their fun is spontaneous and is marked by considerable originality. They do not pounce upon popularity at the rise of the curtain, but after the first five minutes their audiences seems wholly theirs.

Of similar effectiveness are the comicalities of James Carroll and Will J. Cooke, with their hilarious "Hoolaboola."

Della Fox occupies a pathetic place among the music-hall stars, for, in a paradoxical manner of speech, her future seems all behind her. Her voice which pales from year to year, has dwindled into actual insignificance, though the spirit of comedy still animates her, and her good stage presence and self-possession remain the same.

Olympia Desvall, with her trained horses and dogs, furnishes a thoroughly first-class act of the sort, and the same may be said of the Montrose family, dexterous acrobatic team.

The holdovers are Polly Pickle's pets, "La Sylphe," and Fred Watson and the Morrissey sisters.

Harold Bauer's second concert here, which will given next Monday evening at Simpson Auditorium, deserves a better attendance than his first recital, though the lateness of the season, and a sort of surfeit of pianistic music, is certainly accountable for the light audience of last Monday night.

The testimonial concert for Ada Sowalter, given Monday night at the First M. E. Church, resulted in a handsome fund for the organist. Participants were Mrs. E. S. Shank, who gave two numbers with the chorus; Frank H. Colby, Natorp Blumenfeld, Mrs. Pond and Dr. Eugene Davis, who directed the chorus.

One of the enjoyable concert affairs of last week was the Friday night recital of the First Congregational orchestra, which was given at the church under the direction of William H. Mead.

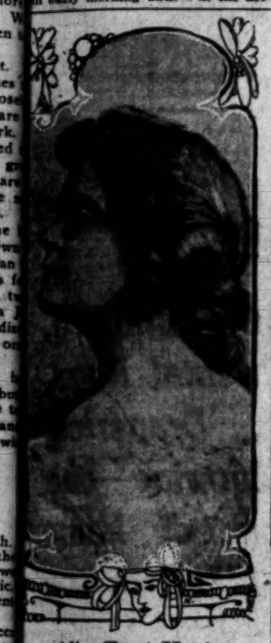
The soloists were Miss Helen Mead, violinist, and Miss Louise Nixon Hill, who gave three quaint eighteenth century ballads, in colonial costume. Both Miss Mead and Miss Hill met with an extremely cordial reception, and were encored. Miss Mead's number was Dvorschak's "Caprice de Concert."

The orchestral programme included Mendelssohn's "Midsummer Night's Dream" overture, Strauss's "Tales from the Vienna Woods," Lumbye's "Traumblider" fantasie, an Offenbach intermezzo and a composite from "Ernani."

Among the selections to be given by the Delano mandolin orchestra Friday evening at Gamut Auditorium will be the Zampa and Raymond overtures; selections from "The Bohemian Girl" and "The Prince of Pilsen," and a variety of numbers by the guitar and banjo clubs.

The Lyra Mandolin and Guitar Club, composed of eight young women, under the direction of Mrs. C. S. DeLano, will make its initial appearance. Readings will be given by Gertrude Whitney Scofield. T. Heine, flutist, and G. Greenhalgh, 'cellist, will assist in the orchestral numbers.

The Temple Opera Company will fall into the tender and experienced hands of Charley Pike, Friday, and that veteran theatrical conductor will pilot the organization on a Salt Lake special to Riverside, for a try-out production that night. "The Filibuster" will be given. On Saturday night the company will visit San Bernardino, repeating the performance, returning here Sunday morning for the opening on the following night at the Auditorium.



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$3.50 beltings, $2.50.
$4.50 beltings, $2.50.
$5.50 and $6.50 beltings, $4.50.

Fancy Pins for Less

Almost indispensable to the present-day dressing table are a quantity of fancy beauty pins, or, as they're now called, waist pin sets. For baby's frock, for the back of one's waists, for fastening collars, etc., they're lavishly used.

75c sets are now 50c.
$1 sets are now 75c.
$1.25 sets are now $1.
$1.50 and $1.75 sets now $1.25.

Veil Pin Sale

Every woman who dresses fashionably—which means that she wears a veil of one sort or another—will be glad to know where she can purchase a stylish veil pin under its regular price. This opportunity today:

75c veil pins today 35c.
$1 veil pins today 75c.
$1.25 veil pins today $1.
$1.50 and $1.75 veil pins today $1.25.

Fine Silks For Easter

Not a bit too early to be thinking of Easter frocks and finery. Any of these silks will make up beautifully into gowns or waists, and will be very appropriate, as well, for confirmation or commencement dresses.

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By the purchase of the California Development Company stock of L. M. Holt, leader in various court proceedings instituted against the company, the big irrigation corporation has been relieved of embarrassing litigation and internal dissensions. Although negotiations had been pending for several weeks, the news of the compromise only leaked out yesterday.

The adjustment of the dispute between certain of the stockholders apparently makes it possible for the company to carry out some of its contemplated improvements, for it means the dismissal of all pending Federal suits and appeals.

PLANS EXTENSIVE.

If the concern's plans are carried out within the next few years irrigation will have been provided for thousands of acres of land now useless for agricultural purposes.

"While admitting that an agreement has been reached between Holt and the California Development Company, I am not at liberty to give out any information," said Attorney W. J. Hunsaker of counsel for Holt.

Attorney E. A. Meserve, representing the development company, said that a deal had been closed whereby the company secures the 170 shares of stock hitherto standing in Holt's name, and that this meant the end of all litigation.

The suit pending between the New Liverpool Salt Company and the California company is the only obstacle to the immediate opening of an era of irrigation development. It is believed, however, that the matter of the injunction will be finally settled satisfactorily, although the Federal Court found for the plaintiff in the suit recently decided here.

Holt brought an action in the United States Circuit Court in 1906 against the development company to have a contract between it and the Southern Pacific adjudged void. Judge Wellborn sustained the demurrer of the defendant and appeal was taken.

CAUSE OF TROUBLE.

The contract at issue was one whereby the railroad was permitted to name three of the directors in consideration of a loan of $200,000, made to aid the concern in its struggle to prevent the Colorado River from flooding the lands of the settlers in the Imperial Valley.

Although the Circuit Court of Appeals reversed the decisions of the lower court, its action was based entirely, it is said, on the assumed truth of the allegations in the bill of complaint brought by Holt. Attorneys say that the demurrer of necessity admitted as facts the various allegations that could not be proven at the trial. It is claimed that although the decision of the Appellate Court was hailed as a sweeping victory for the complaint, it merely signified that the case should go to trial on its merits.

The writ of mandate issued by the Circuit Court of Appeal has been received by the Federal Court, but has never been formally filed. The agreement between the contesting parties makes such action now unnecessary. A motion will be made soon to dismiss the original bill of complaint and attendant legal action.

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OLD AND YOUNG PROFIT BY IT.

PLAYGROUND MOVEMENT IN THE CITY OF BROAD SCOPE.

Secretary of National Association Coming Soon—At His Request, Pictures of Los Angeles' Breathing Spaces Are Forwarded to New York.

Lee F. Hamner, field secretary of the Playground Association of America, will visit Los Angeles next month. He has been asked to speak at Long Beach and several other towns.

Pictures of the playgrounds in this city have lately been sent to New York at Mr. Hamner's request, and will be hung in the permanent playground museum maintained by the national association.

Today the annual report of the local playground association, prepared by Miss Bessie Stoddart, will be issued in charming book form with many illustrations, showing what the city has done in the past year for the children.

But the young folks are not alone in the benefits accruing from the playground movement. The whole effort in eastern cities, and in Los Angeles at present, is toward making each public breathing spot a center of neighborhood life. This has already been successfully done at Playground No. 1, where lectures and various entertainments for the people are conducted in the beautiful little club building, with a branch of the public library in connection.

Echo Park Playground has a clubhouse of the same kind, only twice as large, now nearly completed. It is admirably situated, giving an outlook over the lake. It has a fine auditorium with a good-sized stage, a well-equipped kitchen and bathrooms, an office for the superintendent, and two club rooms. In the basement is provided a room for a workshop.

Down in the heart of the Eighth Ward, in which the Llewellyn Iron Works and other factories are situated, the gymnasium wing of the building at the Municipal Recreation Center, corner of St. John and Holly streets, is almost ready for use. By the time the warm season really arrives, the shower baths, the roof garden and other things will be at the service of the public.

In the basement will be two splendid bowling alleys, baths, lockers, storeroom, men's clubroom, and a clinic room for the district nurse.

The main floor will be occupied with the gymnasium, 44x80 feet, and two stories in height, with a gallery for a running track. The gym may also be used as an auditorium, and it will have a stage 19x25 feet. At one side of this will be a library—probably a branch of the Public Library; at the other, a kitchen.

A mezzanine floor has been built, and here a workshop will be established, and a room for the physical director, equipped with all appliances for taking measurements and making tests. The records for a year will supply valuable information as to the benefit of a gymnasium at that point.

On the floor above will be a neat little five-room apartment, the home of the director, and an illustration of a model flat. Above this will be the roof garden, where quick-growing vines will be trained to provide a shady spot in summer time.

The building is of brick and plaster and Spanish in architecture. It will cost about $50,000. It is planned for the future that this building shall form one wing of a larger structure, which will be erected on three sides of a court.

Miss Bessie Stoddart, the secretary of the Playground Commission, has recently gathered statistics showing the marvelous growth of the work throughout the United States during the past few years. In eight years New York has expended $15,000,000 on eight playgrounds, and Chicago $11,000,000 on three.

The beginning that Los Angeles has made in this line has received much favorable comment, and reports are frequently called for from various parts of the country.

Do Horses Dream?

"Do you know that horses dreams?" asked "Alex" Henderson, assistant fire chief, of a visitor at the fire headquarters one day last week to a reporter for the Kansas City Star. As he spoke the word "horses" the twelve animals looked quickly around the corners of their stalls. "There's intelligence for you," continued Henderson. "They know what they are being talked about. Horses have their moods, or whims, and even dream at nights—I've caught them at it.

"One quiet night a few weeks ago I was sitting out here by the truck smoking. All the horses were asleep—some lying down and others dozing with their heads hung low. Suddenly I noticed Jim, my buggy horse, jump forward with a snort, a vigirous pull and he had loosed himself from his stall and running to my buggy was in his harness. Then looking back to see where I was he noticed the other horses were still in their stalls. Jim actually looked foolish.

"There had been no bell rung, no noise nor sound of an alarm. The horse simply had dreamed there was a fire."

Jim is a splendid bay horse about twelve years old. He is a Kansas product.

"I bought him in the flood time of 1903," said Mr. Henderson. "He did great work then and has been on the go ever since. There are two things about Jim I have never noticed in any other horse—he has never fallen and he is never in a bad humor."

African Elephant's Docility.

The efforts of the Congo State authorities to domesticate the African elephant have brought out some interesting peculiarities of those animals. During the wet season, which lasts four months, the elephants are not worked, but are turned out into the forest. Instead, however, of rejoining their wild kin they seem to keep apart, as if conscious of the difference that their training has produced. On being brought back to their duties they show no disposition to shirk their work. Their presence sometimes attracts wild elephants to the vicinity of their scene of labors, but these wild animals are usually too old and intractable to be used as recruits.—[Youth's Companion.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

Equitable Savings Bank

FIRST AND SPRING STREETS

April 1st, 1908

ASSETS.

Loans as detailed below	$ 657,367.72
Bonds as detailed below	153,780.43
Bank premises	311,448.21
Safe deposit and other vaults	21,276.86
Cash and due from banks as detailed below	118,832.16
	$1,262,705.38

LIABILITIES.

Capital	$ 50,000.00
Surplus	43,577.55
Deposits	1,169,127.83
	$1,262,705.38

DETAILS CONCERNING LOANS.

All loans are secured by first mortgages on real estate.

No. of Loans.	Per Cent. of Value Loaned.	Amount Loaned.	Value of Security.
169	Not exceeding 33 1-3 per cent.	$194,930.00	$ 830,800.00
97	Over 33 1-3 per cent., not exceeding 40 per cent.	136,137.72	388,050.00
173	Over 40 per cent., not exceeding 50 per cent.	326,300.00	725,000.00
439		$657,367.72	$1,943,850.00

No. of Loans.	Location.	Amount Loaned.	Value of Security.
433	Los Angeles County	$635,367.72	$1,873,850.00
2	Riverside County	10,000.00	25,000.00
2	San Diego County	3,000.00	15,000.00
2	Orange County	9,000.00	30,000.00
439		$657,367.72	$1,943,850.00

LIST OF BONDS.

Name.	Par Value.	Cost.
Moneta School District	$ 500.00	$ 504.80
Cucamonga School District	1,000.00	1,012.00
La Verne School District	2,000.00	2,027.80
Long Beach City School District	12,500.00	12,673.75
Cahuenga School District	23,000.00	24,966.50
Newport Beach School District	3,000.00	3,028.50
Corcoran School District	6,000.00	6,746.40
City of Santa Barbara	14,500.00	14,725.90
City of Ventura	2,000.00	2,055.80
City of Orange	33,750.00	34,891.25
City of Monrovia	7,000.00	7,525.28
City of San Diego	21,000.00	22,871.10
San Luis Obispo School District	4,000.00	4,150.00
Willow Brook School District	2,500.00	2,531.75
Salida School District	4,000.00	4,034.70
So. Pasadena City School District	10,000.00	10,034.90
	$146,950.00	$153,780.43

CASH AND DUE FROM BANKS.

Gold, Silver and Currency	$ 45,244.01
Exchange for Clearing House	1,359.84
In vaults of Bank	$ 46,603.85
In First National Bank, Los Angeles	65,426.86
In Crocker National Bank, San Francisco	2,701.75
In National City Bank, New York	4,099.70
	$118,832.16

Our last detailed statement was made January 1st. From and after that date notice of withdrawal of all classes of accounts has been waived, and depositors have been free to withdraw their funds at pleasure.

Following the removal of the restrictions, deposits decreased about $65,000. The subsequent increase has been steady and continuous, and aggregates about $100,000, thus showing a net increase since January 1st of about $35,000. 425 new accounts have been opened. Since that date 39 new loans have been made, aggregating $41,950, secured by first mortgage on real estate to the value of $125,000. Maturing loans have, in all cases, been extended when requested.

The last four items in the list of bonds aggregating $20,751.35 have been purchased during the past month.

No officer, director or employee is indebted to the Bank directly or indirectly, nor are any of them guarantors for the indebtedness of others, and none of the securities held by the Bank were purchased from them.

Depositors are entitled to, and will be gladly furnished with any information concerning its affairs, excepting the accounts of other depositors.

For the confidence indicated by the above conditions, the officers express their grateful appreciation.

The Equitable Savings Bank is organized under the law as an EXCLUSIVE SAVINGS BANK, and enjoys, together with the depositors, the full protection guaranteed to that class of institutions.

4 per cent. paid on Term Deposits (semi-annually).
3 per cent. paid on Ordinary Deposits (semi-annually).
3 per cent. paid on Special Ordinary Accounts (monthly).

The last named accounts are subject to check without presentation of pass books, and interest is computed on the lowest balance during each calendar month, provided same is not less than $300, in which case no interest is paid. It must be understood, however, that while no notice is being required on these accounts, and probably never will be, the Bank never waives its right to do so, if necessary.

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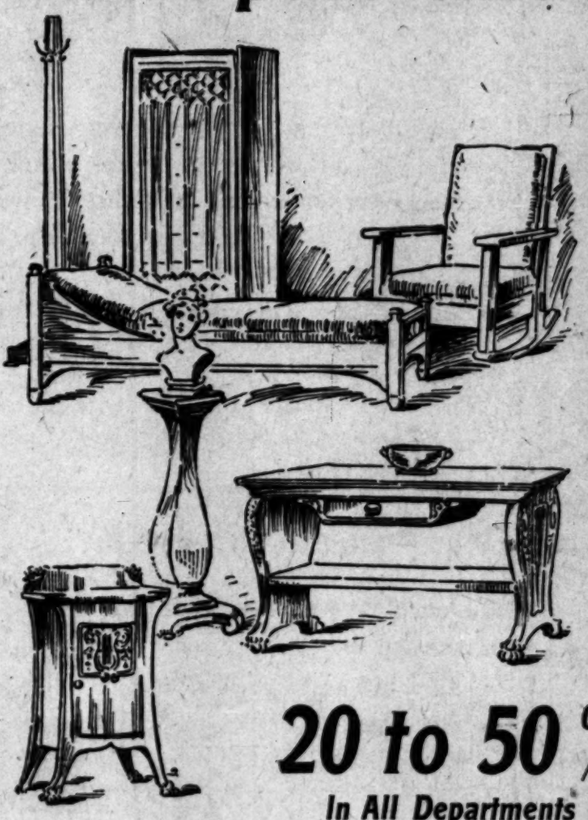

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A meeting of the Executive Committee of the Los Angeles County Republican Central Committee, for the purpose of filling vacancies in the several precincts, occasioned by the creation of new precincts, and by removals and deaths, was held last night, Bradner W. Lee, chairman, presided. The committee completed for the entire county, with a few precincts yet to be filled, is as follows:

Los Angeles city precincts—No. 1, B. Donnell; No. 2, T. P. McCrea; No. 3, Charles Bradford; No. 4, John H. Jeffries; No. 5, Jos. Quaid; No. 6, Harry Holmes; No. 7, Charles Letts; No. 8, P. J. O'Donnell; No. 9, T. B. Hayes; No. 10, Dave Martin; No. 11, F. P. Stedman; No. 12, Nelson Atherton; No. 13, Ed Rice; No. 14, George Willard; No. 15, James B. Campbell; No. 16, Ernest J. Hutchinson; No. 17, George L. Bannister; No. 18; E. H. Garrett; No. 19, William S. Baird; No. 20, Paul L. Johnson; No. 21, Erwin Dingle; No. 22, Harry C. Thomas; No. 23, D. P. Riley; No. 24, T. B. Harris; No. 25, George W. Yarrow; No. 26, E. E. Bostwick; No. 27, Joe Murphy; No. 28, W. A. Clement; No. 29, J. W. Summerfield; No. 30, Fred J. Williams; No. 31, W. A. Henry; No. 32, C. E. Chappelear; No. 33, D. Goldberg; No. 34, William Moffatt; No. 35, H. M. Hurd; No. 36, Charles A. Schalwitz; No. 37, Frank Garbutt; No. 38, J. E. Barker; No. 39, A. B. Grupe; No. 40, W. H. Clune; No. 42, R. T. Brain; No. 43, E. J. Fleming; No. 44, J. M. Danziger; No. 45, Leon P. Moss; No. 48, W. W. Dennis; No. 49, W. T. Osterholt; No. 50, J. A. Hill; No. 51, P. W. Ross; No. 52, George W. Walker; No. 53, W. P. Jeffries; No. 54, J. F. Howell; No. 55, Royal A. Oldfield; No. 56, W. F. Ball; No. 57, J. C. Scott; No. 58, A. J. Gardner; No. 59, Bruce Hatch; No. 60, William H. Gilbert; No. 61, George Beebe; No. 62, John S. Myers; No. 63, Ben N. Powers; No. 64, D. W. Flanigan; No. 65, J. H. C. Von der Lohe; No. 66, E. R. Werdin; No. 67, C. H. Rutledge; No. 68, Dr. J. L. Hagadorn; No. 69, Harry P. Light; No. 70, C. W. Johnson; No. 71, Frank D. Hudson; No. 72, C. C. Bonnell; No. 73, Joseph Nets; No. 74, R. M. Marble; No. 75, Fleming Franklin; No. 76, John A. Hermanson; No. 77, William F. McLaughlin; No. 78, C. I. Parker; No. 79, T. P. Simpson; No. 80, Harry B. Stone; No. 81, N. Schlegel; No. 82, F. P. Sampson; No. 83, O. A. Campbell; No. 84, J. F. Thompson; No. 85, R. H. Crist; No. 86, Sam Young; No. 87, George P. Adams; No. 88, L. D. Smith; No. 89, Edwin Baker; No. 90, G. W. Alexander; No. 91, Charles Wilcox; No. 92, C. M. T. Hill; No. 93, W. T. Rassell; No. 94, A. F. Horn; No. 95, M. P. Light; No. 96; John Burke; No. 97, E. S. Butterworth; No. 98, P. P. O'Brien; No. 99, Leon Levy; No. 101, Joseph F. Seymour, Jr.; No. 102, W. H. O'Connell; No. 103, C. F. Remmell; No. 104, Frank C. Vaughn; No. 105, David M. Belt; No. 106, George Myers; No. 107, Bert McCarthy; No. 108, Nath. McLain; No. 109, William McLean; No. 110, W. T. Woods; No. 111, W. E. Scott; No. 112, R. G. Weishaar; No. 113, Al C. Sittel; No. 114, P. B. Spears; No. 115, C. L. Elmendorff; No. 117, Guy W. Yonkin; No. 118, W. B. McCulley; No. 119, Joseph Sresovich, Jr.; No. 120, John McGonigal; No. 121, Jacob Dieterich; No. 125, D. B. Steen; No. 123, Capen Ellis; No. 124, Otto Reinen; No. 125, E. A. Evans; No. 126, S. G. Tyler; No. 127, U. S. G. Todd; No. 128, E. E. Selph; No. 129, James J. Regan; No. 130, M. T. McNeely; No. 131, Frank Gillespie; No. 132, James Smith; No. 133, M. E. Snyder; No. 134, E. H. Link; No. 135, A. L. Sawyer; No. 136, Willis Jackson; No. 137, William S. Gibbon; No. 138, C. R. Thomas; No. 139, John F. Greene; No. 140, John J. Reeves; No. 141, Robert Hayhurst; No. 142, W. R. Slater; No. 143, J. A. Slater; No. 144, Fred W. Stein; No. 145, W. E. D. Morrison; No. 146, August F. Thurman; No. 147, Billy Coomer; No. 148, Marcus H. Packard; No. 149, H. J. Meader; No. 151, D. J. Lewis; No. 152, George Baker; No. 153, C. H. Squires; No. 156, George M. Thornburg; No. 157, Harry D. Simons; No. 158, B. L. Hazen; No. 160, James T. McGinley; No. 161, John D. Summers; No. 163, C. D. Clark; No. 163, Frank E. Cotter; No. 164, William Vacher; No. 166, William Rogers; No. 167, Richard Fullaway; No. 168, Dave Gregg; No. 169, J. A. Nelson; No. 170, Thomas J. Quinn; No. 171, William Melchert; No. 172, Robson O. Bell; No. 173, George Valentine; No. 174, Harry J. Dunn; No. 175, B. Healy; No. 176, A. J. Ashan; No. 177, D. C. Barber; No. 178, C. H. Mead; No. 179, George Lyons; No. 180, H. Fawcett; No. 181, E. W. Bisellus; No. 182, S. T. Curson; No. 184, Frank Copeland; No. 185, M. T. White; No. 186, George Kehlenbeck; No. 187, C. B. Porter; No. 188, E. B. Powell; No. 189, A. T. Vawter.

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QUICK WORK BROAD-GAUGING TRACKS TO OCEAN.

Los Angeles-Pacific Railway Inaugurates Regular Train Service Over Lines Swiftly Converted from Narrow to Standard Width—Rush to Ride on First New Car.

As a piece of rapid railroad building, the feat of the Los Angeles-Pacific Railway in broad-gauging its line to Venice, Ocean Park and Redondo, has proven a surprise even to the management. Although the announced intention was to have it ready for the carrying of crowds to see the battleship fleet upon its arrival, the regular service was begun yesterday—three weeks in advance of the date set.

The first five of the handsome big olive-green cars pulled in at the new Hill-street station exactly at 4:30 o'clock in the afternoon, and the waiting crowds immediately rushed in and filled several of them to overflowing, the first being packed to suffocation in the anxiety of people to ride on the first car over the wide tracks. It was No. 726.

These handsome cars were built at St. Louis and have several features that are new. In addition to the usual side entrances, they have a wide swinging door in the center of each end, so that when running in trains, there will be an open passage from one car to the other.

To meet this change in form, the motor-box and automatic brake mechanism are located in the right-hand corner of the car, and the headlight is attached to the center door. This arrangement has a distinct advantage for handling the headlight; instead of stepping on the track in front of the car to adjust the light, it is put in place from the interior, and should anything happen to the light it can be swung into the car for correction.

Each car seats fifty-eight passengers and has liberal vestibule space at both ends. All are equipped with powerful motors and are capable of making sixty miles an hour. Although this is far above the schedule that will be maintained.

The service begun yesterday will be continued without interruption, passengers for Venice, Ocean Park and Redondo leaving the new station on Hill street, and those for Santa Monica, Hollywood, Colegrove and local points, the old station on Fourth street. It will be but a few days until the other beach lines will be ready for the new equipment.

Work on the Hill-street station is progressing rapidly, the brick-work being completed, and all the asphalting being done in the yard, which is capable of accommodating ten or twelve of the big cars at one time. They went in and out yesterday without a hitch, and much satisfaction was expressed by the management at the successful inauguration of the service.

Library of Wooden Books.

A private library of quite a unique character is composed solely of 600 wooden books. The collection has been made from the wood of different trees growing in the park attached to the chateau of Wilhelmshohe. At the back of each book is a tablet in red morocco indicating the name of the tree from which the volume has been made, and the two covers are lightly polished. Inside the book the complete natural history of the tree is detailed. The collection, which is at Cassel, includes 120 species and 445 varieties.—[London Globe.

A Thunderous Megaphone.

On the French coast there soon will be a lighthouse equipped with a monster mouth and a compressed air device which will enable it to shout intones of thunder to ships on the horizon. Dr. Marage, of Paris, is the inventor. It will be an exact imitation of the human throat and mouth, with an air pump for lungs. Teeth, lips, jawbones and all are imitated exactly. With a mouth six feet from corner to corner it is estimated that the artificial voice of the lighthouse will be understood from three to six miles away, according to weather conditions. Mouths of this size are to be placed beneath the lens of the new French lighthouse. As steamers come over the horizon from Africa or America and are sighted one of its mouths will turn seaward and bellow "Hello!"

New Idea in Lighthouses.

Germany has a new idea in lighthouses. It consists in using a vertical shaft of light instead of a horizontal one.

By this means, it is thought, it will be visible for a greater distance than at present. At 100 nautical miles out on the ocean, the lights along perhaps 100 miles of coast will be visible to the navigator, it is calculated.

All the usual devices of dark and light intervals and change of colors can be applied to render the identification of the lights certain. Experiments with the system are to be made at once by the German naval authorities at Friedrichsort.

India's Sacred Fires.

India's sacred fires have not all been extinguished. The most ancient, which still exists, was consecrated twelve centuries ago in commemoration of the voyage made by the Parsees when they emigrated from Persia to India. The fire is fed five times every two hours with sandalwood and other fragrant materials combined with very dry fuel.

SOME FACTS ABOUT FATS.

In a recent issue of the Chicago "Tribune," attention is called to the large quantity of Cotton Seed Oil (amounting in value to over $3,000,000) exported each year to Italy and other southern European countries. Investigation shows that it is there mixed with olive oil and returned to this country as genuine olive oil—and experts cannot detect any difference.

As a matter of fact, Cotton Seed Oil is quite as palatable and wholesome as Olive Oil, and this fact has been recognized by The N. K. Fairbank Company, Chicago, in the manufacture of their famous cooking fat—COTTOLENE. As the name implies, COTTOLENE is made from Cotton Seed Oil, and it is not only purer and far more healthful than lard, but more economical as well.

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And other trunks at lower prices; big features; third floor.

$8 Cowhide Suitcases $5.85
Linen lined; shirt fold pocket. Extra special, $5.85, third floor.

Summer Underwear Captures the . . . . Basement

For the Great Sale of the year--Today

A value introduction to April that will strike a responsive chord in every woman's heart.

Who wouldn't be glad to pay 5c for 10c vests; 12½c for 19c vests?

Quality knit underwear for women and children—a great demonstration spread in the basement. A feast of bright, perfect garments at sale prices that prove the dynamic impulses that thrill through this store, compelling results for you—for values like these:

10c Summer Undervests at . . 5c
Do not grow on bushes. Low neck, sleeveless, Swiss ribbed; white only; taped neck and shoulder. Sizes 4, 5, 6. The quantity is limited—the value great—so we say, no more than 4 to a customer. Special, basement, at 5c.

15c and 19c Undervests at . . 12½c
Swiss ribbed; white only. Specially bought to be extra special values. In this sale 12½c.

25c Lace Yoke Vests, Special . . . 15c
Swiss ribbed, in white; all sizes.

25c Vests or Pants, Special . . . 19c
Summer weight, fancy rib, short sleeve vests; ankle pants. Special at 19c.

Fancy Yoke 35c Vests at . . . 25c
Low neck, sleeveless; imported swiss; white. Special, 25c.

Girls' Summer Underwear at . . 15c
Vests, high neck, long or short sleeves. Knee or ankle pants. Sizes to 12 years.

Boys' Shirts or Drawers at . . 22½c
Balbriggans. Sizes 24 to 34.

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EVENTS IN LOCAL SOCIETY.

MRS. CHARLES MODINI WOOD and Mrs. W. H. Perry, of No. 20 St. James Park, will give a large musical after Easter. A fine pipe organ has just been built in the Wood residence and a most interesting programme will be rendered.

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Cohn-Headen Wedding.

Interesting to many is the announcement of the wedding of Miss Norwood Headen, daughter of Thomas C. Headen, a retired capitalist of Jacksonville, Ill., to Mark C. Cohn of this city. The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. J. Inwood, pastor of the University Methodist Church, at his residence.

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Dinner-Dance.

Officers of the U.S.S. South Dakota entertained recently with a dinner dance aboard in compliment to Miss Estelle Warfield of Oakland, who is a guest at Hotel Alexandria, and Miss Hazel Burke and Miss Maxine Reese of this city.

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Mrs. Kuenzer's Luncheon.

Mrs. Otto Kuenzer of No. 1125 Fair Oaks avenue, South Pasadena, will entertain, Tuesday, with a luncheon in compliment to J. P. Filbert of this city.

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Eighty-first Birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. David R. Hirschle entertained at their home, No. 1416 Center street, South Pasadena, with a party in honor of the eighty-first birthday anniversary of Mr. Hirschle's father, C. Hirschle. About 100 relatives responded to invitations. The guest of honor was presented with a large tray filled with birthday cards sent by relatives. Music and games were features of the evening. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Schwan, Mr. and Mrs. J. Parks, Theodore Schwan, Mrs. J. C. Eymann, Dr. and Mrs. L. Gossmann, Mr. and Mrs. A. Schowalter, Miss Yedda Ranscher, Miss Eda Schowalter, Miss Pearl Schowalter, Arthur Schowalter, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Schmidt, Mrs. Bertha Randan, Miss Emma Eymann, Miss Gertrude Eymann, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Eymann, Edward Haury, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Schmidt, John Rupp, Mr. and Mrs. G. Ledig, Miss Leah Schwan, Miss Ada Schwan, A. Gossmann and L. Gossmann. The home was attractively decorated with ferns, bridal wreath and callas.

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Bridge Whist.

Mrs. J. Burton Prosser of Twenty-second street, and Normandie avenue, will entertain, this afternoon, members of a bridge whist club of which she is a member. The guests will include Mrs. Lester Robinson, Mrs. Dwight Hart, Mrs. Stuart Macfarlane, Mrs. Alonzo Parson Lee, Mrs. Lottie Dudley, Mrs. Harry Frymann, Mrs. Larimer, Mrs. Lily Pulsifer, Miss Arabella Lindsey, Miss Hazel Runge, Mrs. Bennett of Toronto, Can., and Mrs. George Edwin Harber of New York.

Miss Hazel Burke,
one of the complimented guests at a dinner dance aboard the battleship South Dakota.

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S. M. Club.

Members of the S. M. Club entertained, last evening, with a dancing party at Hotel Burlington. The hostesses were Mrs. R. B. Schroeter, Mrs. J. Purcell, Miss Anna Kellam, Miss Alma Bradley and Miss Carrie Stutsman.

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Miss Graham Hostess.

Miss Ethel Graham, of No. 1331 Ingraham street, had as guests recently members of the Taxical Bridge Club.

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Hollywood Guests.

Members of the Hollywood Luncheon Club were guests, yesterday afternoon, at the home of Miss Lela Douglas of North Prospect avenue, Hollywood.

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Five Hundred Party.

Mrs. Frank Murphy of No. 409 Park View avenue gave a five hundred party, her guests being Mrs. Ethel Graham, Mrs. Walter J. Wren, Mrs. A. D. Cheshire, Mrs. W. K. Chambers, Mrs. A. J. Bradish, Mrs. McCollum, Mrs. F. M. Parker, Mrs. Frank Sharp, Mrs. J. T. Carroll, Mrs. Rice, Mrs. E. W. Cason, Mrs. D. R. Brown, Mrs. Motley H. Flint, Mrs. Frank Goodin, Mrs. Robertson, Mrs. Charles Grogan, Mrs. C. Hunsaker, Miss Ethel Graham, Miss Lillian Moody and Miss Robertson. The hostess was assisted in receiving by Mrs. Walter J. Wren and Mrs. Hunsaker.

WOMEN'S CLUBS.

Presidential Bees.

Presidential bees are buzzing in several of the prominent women's clubs of Los Angeles. Members of the Friday Morning Club have been waiting to know Mrs. Shelley Tolhurst's intentions in regard to serving another year before making any efforts in another direction, a sthe club is a unit in desiring this capable leader to continue at the head of affairs.

Yesterday Mrs. Tolhurst declared absolutely that she would not accept the office again, and this decision on her part will be announced at an early meeting of the club.

Several names have been mentioned as likely to be received with great favor, but there is as yet no degree of certainty whatever. Mrs. J. B. Lippincott doubtless would be a popular candidate if her health permitted her to undertake the arduous duties of the presidency. Mrs. John R. Haynes is mentioned prominently.

Nomination slips will be handed in May 1 and the candidate receiving the majority of votes will be the one elected, according to precedent.

Mrs. P. G. Hubert, who has so graciously presided over the Ebell Club for the past two years, will lay down the gavel at the close of the present season. An amendment which has been proposed to the bylaws, and which doubtless will be adopted, will cause the election this year to be minus the strenuous characteristics that went into history two years ago.

There is an almost overwhelming desire on the part of the club members to secure Mrs. Josiah Evans Cowles, treasurer for the General Federation, for their next leader. Mrs. Cowles is prominent in the General Federation, and she may be the recipient of further distinction at the coming biennial in Boston, next June, so it is doubtful if she would consider taking further duties on her shoulders.

Mrs. W. J. Hole, who has been vice-president and chairman of the Programme Committee during the past year, is a presidential possibility of great promise. Another popular member of the club, Mrs. W. L. Jones, is also spoken of in this connection. Mrs. L. A. Gould is another possible candidate.

"I'll tell you the reason I am anxious to have Mrs. Cowles," said a member of the club yesterday. "It is because there are so many factions in Ebell, and so many possible candidates, it will take a strong influence to unite the different little cliques."

The Ruskin Art Club will elect Mrs. I. L. Hibbard for a second term, but the Cosmos Club is in the throes of selecting another president. Mrs. George W. Jordan will retire with the love of all after her two years in office, and it will be a task to select her successor. Mrs. R. P. Hovell is likely to succeed Mrs. Jordan, and there are some who think Mrs. Murray, another bright member, will prove a dark horse.

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Woman's Parliament.

The reception to delegates and visitors for the Woman's Parliament will be held this evening in Ventura by the Ventura Association of Women's Clubs, and the addresses of welcome that were scheduled for Thursday morning will be given at the reception instead. Many of the delegates will leave today at 2:30 p.m., so as to attend the reception and to have an early start on "County Day," tomorrow. The courtesy of the first morning has been given to the hostess organization, when Ventura members will report the progress of the Juvenile Court movement within the limits of Ventura county.

San Diego and San Bernardino counties also will report on the first morning. The afternoon will be occupied by the other counties of Southern California, and in the evening Superior Court Judges Wilbur, Crow and Ewing will deliver addresses. Mrs. Elizabeth Boynton Harbert will give an address in the afternoon. Friday morning will be given over to reports of committees, delegates' reports and the election of officers, and that afternoon will be occupied by addresses by Mrs. Willoughby Rodman and Warren C. Eberle.

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Charter Day for Cosmos.

A beautiful charter day celebration will be observed by the Cosmos Club this afternoon at the Ebell Clubhouse. These birthday parties are always the most delightful occasions of the year to the club members, and this afternoon promises unusual interest and attractive features. Madame Severance, Mrs. Anna S. Averill, and Mrs. Florence Collins Porter will be the guests of honor. The president Mrs. George W. Jordan, will give a brief history of the club, and there will be a programme of music and recitations, with violin selections.

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Schoolmates' Snubs Broke Ruby's Heart.

"I endured prison and newspaper notoriety and the brutality of the detectives; but when the girls of my Sunday-school class 'cut' me, it broke my heart."

So spoke Ruby Casselman in an interview yesterday.

Thrown from her pose of frozen silence by a bitter disappointment, Ruby acted like a real human girl yesterday for the first time since her arrest.

She laughed and cried and talked to the reporters for an hour, telling them all her troubles.

Except for an old receipt that had no direct bearing on the alleged forgery, but which was found in her pocketbook, the girl would have been released by Justice Selph yesterday. He so stated in holding her to answer for forgery in the Superior Court.

This receipt indicated that her story of not knowing anything about Katharine Ward, whose name was forged, was not the truth.

She confidently expected that she would be set free. At the court's decision Ruby looked crushed for a moment. She dropped her head to her gloved hand, and sat the picture of despair.

Her aged foster mother crept around to her, crying, and the girl pulled herself together again.

"Now Mamma Martin," she said briskly, "don't you cry. I am not going to be found guilty. It is only his (bank teller's) word against mine, and the jury will believe mine."

While waiting in court for her bondsman she talked to the reporters.

Some one asked her why it is she always goes into court smiling and cheerful, as though she thought it all a pleasant function.

"I don't feel that way inside," she said bitterly. "It is terrible. But what good would it do for me to become excited?

"I know I am not guilty, and they can't make me guilty. I know the good God will not let me suffer when I am innocent. I place my whole trust in God, and try to hold the thought that all is good.

"DREADFUL DETECTIVES."

"No one knows what I have had to go through with. Those detectives, when I was first arrested, were dreadful. They used to come up into my prison and bully me for hours at a time. They were after what they call a 'free and voluntary confession.' Sometimes it seemed as though they would drive me crazy.

"They kept insisting that I had money buried in our back yard. At last I said, in desperation, 'Well, then, let's go out and find it.' They called this my confession.

"I blame my lawyers and my Sunday-school teacher, Mrs. Ada Bryant, for getting me to plead guilty to a crime I never committed.

"I feel awfully mean about talking this way of Mrs. Bryant; but I would never have placed myself in this position except for her. She got down on her knees to me and begged me to plead guilty to save going to prison. They kept after me two weeks before I would give in, but at last I did as she asked. I am sorry I ever yielded to them. My present lawyer tells me there was no case against me.

"The hardest of all was when I was released on probation. I had been an attendant at the First Methodist Sunday-school. When I went back there, the Reception Committee at the door couldn't seem to see me, and some of the girls wouldn't speak to me; that almost broke my heart."

LEANS TO NEW THOUGHT.

The girl's eyes filled with tears and she could not talk for a moment. She recovered her self-possession and went on.

"I left the church and Sunday-school because my teacher, Mrs. Bryant, accused me of stealing a dollar. She afterward found it in an envelope where she had put it herself. That was too much to bear. I have never been there since."

Miss Casselman spoke very bitterly and said that Mrs. Bryant also accused her of stealing the money from some contribution the Sunday-school class had levied.

"What church do you belong to now?" some one asked her.

"I don't belong to any church," she said. "I have many friends in the New Thought. I never was actually a member of the Methodist church; I can get good from any church."

Coming down to the present charge, she told a long and sensational story, in which she attempts to shift the blame of the forgery to a former pupil in the telegraph school, and to her former teacher there, J. W. Belding.

It was all vague and disconnected. She said that this other girl really was a married woman. Ruby says that this woman and another girl came to school one morning with a pocketful of checks all made out, one being for a million dollars.

She said they tore this up, as it had evidently been made out in fun. She says one of the girls told her later, however, that she tried to pass a bad check at one of the department stores and expected to be arrested.

HER THEORY.

Ruby said that her theory was this: These girls wrote out a lot of checks and tore them up. Belding, the teacher, went around snooping into the waste baskets and found the checks, which he got girls to pass for him. She said the blame was placed upon her because she had been in trouble before and would naturally be suspected.

She also said that Belding must have put the fatal receipt, which prevented her going free, into her pocketbook; she couldn't give any reason why he should have done so.

"Say, Miss Casselman," said a reporter, "aren't you subject to mental lapses?"

"No, I'm not," said Ruby shortly. "I never had a mental lapse in my life; I don't want any acquittal on that ground."

"Aren't there periods when you don't seem to remember things?"

"On the contrary, I have an unusually good memory. Let's not have any more talk about my being insane."

In justice to Mr. Belding, it should be said that he offers to open the books of his school to any one interested and to permit any one to make a complete investigation of Miss Casselman's charges.

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W Gerbach to H D Stuesy, lot 14, block A, Forest Heights tract, $10.

W N Stetzer to Eleonore Shoeneman, lots 2 and 3, Harrison, Curtis & Sweetser's subdivision, $10.

Merchants' Trust Company to W E McNutt, lot 21, block R, Watts Park tract, $10.

Same to same, lot 19, block R, same tract, $10.

H M Whitaker to Mrs Rosetta M Osborn, lots 1 and 2, H M Whitaker Figueroa Street tract, $10.

Florence B Wilhelm to same, lot 52, block A, Wave Crest tract, in Santa Monica, $10.

C E Smoot to J W Brumfield, lot 23, Highland subdivision to Monrovia, $10.

Mary Hollins to L D Twine, lot 14, block 3, Davis addition to Duarte, $10.

Los Angeles Securities Company to Mrs Mary Bohan, lot 20, block 25, Redondo Villa tract, $50.

J K Wright to S Henderson, south 176 feet of lots 1 and 2, William Everett's subdivision, $10.

S Henderson to J M Booth, same as above, $10.

E M Tenny to C C Hurd, lot 23, Alta Vista tract, $10.

California Home Extension Association to C F Pritchike, lot 96, Elysian Garden tract, $10.

W Everett to City of South Pasadena, part lot 15, block 1, George Lightfoot's subdivision, $26.

J C Rupp to H B Brooks, lot 41, Fairmont tract, $10.

American Savings Bank to A E Covell, lot 58, Kensington Place, $10.

R A Eno, W M Varney to W H Wilson, lot 8, block 1, Eno & Varney tract, $10.

W H Wilson to F L Varney, lot 4, block 1, Eno & Varney tract, $10.

F M Rockhill to W H Hay, lot 3, block K, Crescent Heights tract, $10.

F G Goodenow to Mrs Catherine Payshek and Mrs Beatrice Polacek, lot 16, Alhadena map, No 3, $10.

J Stern to Title Guarantee and Trust Company, lot 17, El Carmel tract, $10.

P S Minster to G C Hickey, lot 19, block 3, Golden Bay tract in Ocean Park, $10.

E L Pettifils to Bonnie A Vaughan, lot 11, block 1, F H Small's subdivision, $10.

Title Insurance and Trust Company to L S Mace, part lots 1 and 3, block 16, Park tract, $10.

F Dimock to Clara E Curtis, lots 1, 2 and part 3, Conrarley tract, $200.

G B Swink to Agnes B Smolik, lot 243, Conner's subdivision of Johannson tract, $10.

J F Eley and B Bruman to D O Anderson, lot 11, block E, Oak Knoll tract, $10.

R E Gilbert to C O Goodwin, part lot 13, block 4, Urmston tract, $10.

Lizzie I Fleming to J M Strine, part section 6, T 1 S, R 9 W, $10.

J E Pugh to Cora Fletcher, lot 11, block 21, Charles Victor Hall tract, $10.

A Roberts to J O Hoover, lot 28, L H Michener's subdivision, $10.

C A Weaver to Florence Taylor, lots 1, 2 and 3, of tract No 147, $10.

J Briggs to Clara Briggs, lot 23, block 32, East Santa Monica, $10.

A W Bechtel to G A L'hommedo, lot 14, block 49, Redondo Villa tract, $10.

H W Shoemaker to Rachel Steele, lot 3, L M Shallert subdivision of Hollywood, $1.

A E Berger to E L Berger, undivided ½ interest in lot 40, Sunset Park tract, $10.

Title Guarantee & Trust Co and Huntington Land & Improvement Co to Charlotte E Magee, lots 26 and 127, Pioneer Investment & Trust Cos Glendale Place, $10.

L E Gfrardey to W C Loomis, lots 6 and 8, block 17, Narcissus tract, $10.

Grace V Lockwood to Z David, lot 16, block 3, Electric Railway Homestead Association tract, $12.

American Savings Bank to S C Bowman, lot 52, Vermont Place, $10.

A H Thompson to Catherine Thompson, lots 1 and 2, Casita Rosa tract, $1500.

Catherine Thompson to A H Thompson, lot 3, same tract, $700.

Merchants' Trust Co to D Jordan, lot 21, block 4, McCarthy Cos Florence Avenue Hts tract, $10.

J S Mastman to Alice B Korn, lots 19 and 20, block 8, North Elysian Heights tract, $10.

W H Jeffers to L A Securities Co, lots 16 and 17, block 21; lots 22, 23, 24, 25 and 26, block 24, Redondo Ocean Villa tract, being known as Tract No 145, $200.

L A Securities Co to Mrs Alice E Wicks, lots 14 and 17, block 23; lots 23, 25, 24, 26 and 28, block 24, Redondo Ocean Villa tract, known as Tract No 145, $620.

L Laning to Clara N Johnston, lot 34, West Adams and Western Avenue tract, $10.

E R Young, executor of estate of Sarah Conner, deceased, to W H Snyder, lot 18, in south ½ of block 152, L D Conner subdivision of Pomona, $1200.

W Hunter to Sarah E Thompson and Matilda Evans, lots 1, 2 and 3, block C, Browns subdivision of Harding tract, $10.

G Longo to F Pometti, lot 36, block A, Cutvers Adams Street subdivision of Short Homestead, $10.

F Pometti to G Longo, undivided 1-3 interest in lots 15 and 17, block 14, South Woodlawn, $10.

Marie Longo to V Longo, lots 14 and 17, block 14, South Woodlawn, $10.

block 14, same, $10.

B C Lichty to Lucy A Baker, lots 13 and 14, block H, Park Place, $10.

J S Taitt to J L Vernand, lot 52, Ross & Dixons tract, $10.

L C Brand and Huntington Land & Improvement Co to W E Patterson, part lot 14, block 14, Glendale Boulevard tract, $10.

W E Patterson to Myra E Stine, lot commencing at northwest corner of lot 1, block C, H N Elliotts Ninth Street tract, thence east along north line of said lot 21 feet, thence south, etc, $10.

Title Guarantee & Trust Co to R Mitchell, lots 184, 186 and 188, South Vermont Avenue tract, $10.

J F Rodwell to Maria C L Austen, lot 7 and part lot 8, block 180, Rancho Providencia & Scott tract, $10.

S S Dickinson to J W Lorenz, lot 1, Alhambra Road tract, $10.

Kendall Curtis Co to Helen M Blakeslee, lots 19 and 20, Washington Irving tract, $10.

G Jacobson to G H Wadleigh, trustee, lot 4, block 5, Howes tract, $10.

Sarah A Howland, Robert T Cooper to Ida C Lilly, lot 1, block H, Poole & Jones tract, $10.

H Kelly to H Post, part section 4, township 1 north, range 17 west, $10.

Union Trust & Realty Co to Beaverwyck Land Co, lot 18, Rose Hill Court No 4, $100.

W Fricker to A Campbell, part lot 3, Hunters subdivision of Rancho San Rafael, $10.

J T Painter to Rosina Diamond, lot 17, Nutts replat of block 40, Huntington Park, $10.

C R Diamond to J T Painter, lot 16, A J Blake tract, $100.

M Harnly to W K Fogg, lot 21, North Lake Avenue tract, $10.

W K Fogg to Martha C Lindley, lot 21, North Lake Avenue tract, $10.

L A Stone to R H Pinney, part lot 27, S Palmateers subdivision of lot 6, and south ½ of lot 5, block K, San Pasqual tract, $10.

H F Metcalf to C H Metcalf, part lots 1 and 2, subdivision of Pasadena Lumber Co tract, $10.

Title Guarantee & Trust Co to W H Prittie, lots 34 to 36, block 35, Montecito Park, $10.

S Gaume to A A Mehaguey, lot 5, block C, Menlo Park subdivision No 1, $15.

Mary Rosenberg to L G Scherb, part lot 12, block E, Nadeau Orange tract, $10.

D Elcoat to F C Newton, lots 24 and 25, Roof tract, $250.

Carrie F Richards to H Beaton, lot 146, Central Avenue Home tract, $10.

S W Wuest to Mrs Mattie Moeglin, lot 12, Wuest tract, $10.

Merchants' Trust Co to R W Tait, lot 54, Western Wilshire Heights tract, $10.

L M Grider and E E Hamilton to M U Rosenthal, agreement to convey lot 209, Grider & Hamiltons Hollywood tract, $650.

M C Rosenthal to Geo J Birkel Co, assignment of all interest in above.

B S Phelps to J Phelps, lot 19, Edgecliff tract, $10.

F W Sandison to J R Gray, und ½ int in part block 42, Ro Providencia & Scott tract, $10.

Wilshire Normandie Land Co to Hist Allen, lot 20, Normandy Hill, $10.

Hawthorne Imp Co to Wm Kitts, lot 41, block M, Hawthorne, $140.

A J Hiatt to Conservative Investment Co of Whittier, lots 3 4 and 21, block 16; lots 23 and 24, block 9, Harvey & Rickers add to Whittier, $10.

M Stinson to W S Taylor, lot 20, block OO, Glendora tract, $10.

L B Wells to W S Martin, lot 5, block 3, replat of Bryant Peaslee & James sub of lot 2 and NW¼ of lot 4, block D, San Pasqual tract, in Pasadena, $10.

G L Junod to J H Brown, lots 6 and 7, Junod tract, $10.

M Westergart to Mrs Amanda M Becker, lot 12, Euclid Ave tract, $10.

A Leschman to Ida M Stearns, lot 14, block C, Signal Hill Vista tract, $10.

W L Cook to Maranda B Tollis, lots 35 and 36, Browns tract, $10.

J Hine to J B Anderson, lot 25, block 1, Vermont tract, $10.

E H Horsch to Mrs Alice A Gray and Mrs Nancy K Arnold, lot 4, Horschs add to Mira Mar tract, $100.

C T Hard to Minnie C Brunn, lot 22, block 5, Riverside plat in Long Beach, $10.

E H Horsch to H Robertson, lots 4 and 5, Horschs add to Mira Mar tract, $10.

Same to same, lot 3, Peck & Anderson tract No 2, $10.

W H Smith to F G Bills, part lots 4 and 5, block 2, Strain & Lewis sub of Villa lots 12 14 15 and 16, Long Beach, $10.

A Perrine to Addie E Noble, lot 3, B F Bryants sub of S½ of lot 3, block C, lands of Lake Vineyard Land & Water Assn, $10.

G T Stanley to R D Priebla, und ¼ int in part Ro Los Coyotes, $10.

J Anderson to F F Simpson, lot 109, Normandy Ave tract, $25.

Emma J Crain to Lulu M Goodhue, lots 344 and 346, Crain tract, $10.

Same to Julia Goodwin, lot 346, Crain tract, $10.

The McCarthy Co to Emma A Reeves, lot 8 and part lot 4, block 3, McCarthy Cos Orange Grove tract, known as Tract No 101, $10.

F D Davies to M Fireman, agreement to convey lots 231 and 232, Fourth St Bridge tract, $1875.

L A Securities Co to Mrs Maria Plume, lots 24 and 25, block 22, Redondo Ocean Villa tract, known as Tract No 142, $140.

Frank C Platt Investment Co to A Gulon, lot 23, Orange Villa Extension tract, $10.

A Gulon to Emma L Stevens, lot 23, Orange Villa Extension tract, $10.

Jeannette F White to M Vinette, lots 1 2 and 3, block 1, subdivision of Pasadena Lumber Co tract, $10.

Coney Island tract No 1 in Ro Los Alamitos, $50.

Rodeo Land & Water Co to G H Noyes, lot 12, block 2, Beverly Sunset View tract in Pasadena, $10.

F E Rundy to W C Jost, lot 13, block 17, Sierra Vista Townsite, $10.

Merchants Trust Co to Mary C Hood, lots 14 and 15, block P, Watts Park tract, $10.

Same to same, lots 12 and 13, block P, same tract, $10.

Mrs Mary C Hood to J M More, lots 25 26 27 and 28, block 25, Manila Avenue tract, $10.

Long Beach & Alamitos Imp Co to Mrs Mary C Hood, lots 25 to 28, block 25, Manila Ave tract, $10.

Mary C Hood to J M More, lots 12 13 14 and 15, block P, Watts Park tract, $10.

L A Dock & Terminal Co to J C Manchester, lots 22 and 23, block 21, Back Bay tract No L, $10.

Harriett Rensonover to E Alker, lots 4 5 6 and 7, Boulevard tract, $10.

E E Francis to C S Walbridge, lot 1, block F, McCarthy Cos Main St Moneta Ave and Figueroa St tract No 2, $10.

E F Field to G F Guy and V Hetzel, lot 8, block 113, Manhattan Beach sub No 3, $10.

J Stern to H Ray, lot 84, Kenyon & Smith tract, $10.

D Timmons to J Stern, lot 3, block C, Harshman tract in Compton, $10.

S McCray to Wm McLaflin, contract for purchase, lot 36, block B, McCrays Orange Place, $900.

Same to Belinda H McLaflin, same of lot 3, block B, same, $450.

Same to same, same of lot 49, block B, same, $700.

L A Securities Co to M B Brooks, lots 3 and 4, block 22, Redondo Villa tract, $180.

C S Miles to E J Irwin, lot 27 blk 2 C S Miles add to Huntington Park, $10.

L A Securities Co to Ellen J Irwin, lots 16 and 17 blk 27 Redondo Villa tract No 2, $180.

L C Torrance to W Bradford, lot 9 and part lot 10 Park Manor tract, $20.

J Milhouse to E Bloch, lot 28 James T Burtons South Park tract, $10.

F Arndt to Mrs W E Worthen Jr, agreement to convey lot 25 Strong & Dickinsons Southwest tract, $5000.

Hawthorne Imp Co to E K Isaacs, lots 24 and 25 blk A Hawthorne, $250.

Union Trust & Realty Co to E K Isaacs, lot 23 blk 37 Short Line Beach Venice Canal sub No 1, $50.

M E Chapin to W M Riley, lots 13 and 17 Jamison tract, $10.

H L Winters to M M Sweet, lot 99 Kenilworth tract, $10.

W C and A M Ruddock to C E Ruddock, lot 9 blk 159 Redondo Beach, $10.

C E Smith to F G Boyd, lots 61 and 62 Original Sunnyside, $10.

Clara C Millspaugh to Mrs Mary C Roe, lots 9 and 10 blk 4 Pacific Home tract in Long Beach, $10.

H Pauline Stormont to Margaret Sanderson, part lot 42 blk 6 Crescent Bay tract, $10.

Clara C Millspaugh to Mrs Mary C Roe, lot 6 Sierra Madre Park tract, $10.

Same to Lizzie G Carpenter, lot 80 and part lot 51 blk 126 Long Beach, $10.

L A Securities Co to Mrs Jennieve Ihara, lot 5 blk 39 Redondo Villa tract, $90.

Merchants Trust Co to Vera E Forquer, lots 43 and 45 blk 7 Lynwood Park tract, $10.

L A Securities Co to Mrs W F Tate, lots 1 2 and 3 blk 63 Redondo Villa tract, $150.

I McLaughlin trustee to G E Clark, lots 21 23 and 25 blk F Highland Park Electric tract, lots 23 and 24 Highland Park Hgts add No 1, $1250.

James Co to L L Rankin, lots 3 and 4 blk L Wellington Hgts tract with No 2, $10.

Same to John Harris, lots 24 and 25 Home Acre tract, $10.

W W Watts to W Ames, lot 134 Clark & Bryans Westmoreland tract, $10.

Margaret Sanderson to Alice McCaldin, part lot 42 blk 6 Crescent Bay tract, $10.

Strand Imp Co to W B Ames, lot 6 blk F Strand No 2, $10.

Mrs Viola A Pancoast to W W Yale, lot 138 Willowbrook, $20.

E A Forrester & Sons to Merle E Childers, lot 14 blk D Forrester & Baldwins Ascot Ave Hgts tract, $10.

H L and M M Miller to Mrs Alice A Hudson, part blk 135 Maclay Ro Ex Mission of San Fernando, $10.

J N Metcalf to D Patten, lot 1 blk 43 Central Arlington Hgts, $15.

J E Farnham to F H Taft, lot 7 Leland tract, $10.

Josephine E Hereford to Clark A Horsford, lot beg at point in S line of Downey ave dist 30 ft N 89 deg E from NE cor of lot 4 Westons tract th E deg E par with S line of said tract 134 ft to N line of land conveyed to J M Depuy by deed 126-157 th N etc, $10.

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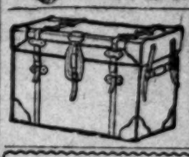

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SPEAKER IN PASADENA TELLS ABOUT INDIANS.

Tremendous Depopulation of the Redmen in California Within Half Century — Superintendent of Municipal Electric Plant Alleges Former Mismanagement.

Office of The Times, No. 26 S. Raymond Ave.

PASADENA, April 1.—Another side of California from that usually presented was extolled last night before a meeting of the Twilight Club of this city, when G. L. Spinning, the special commissioner of President Roosevelt, told of the conditions among the Indians of California. His address was one of the most earnest ever heard by members of the Pasadena's eminent organization.

It was a plea from the heart for better conditions among downtrodden tribes of the Pacific Coast States.

The speaker told of his early experience among the Indians, which began over fifty years ago, and has grown with the years, so that he has never for a moment been out of the beaten trail of Indians' retreat across the continent. He told of many of the stirring times of the early days in the first part of his lecture and in the final moments spoke particularly of the conditions among the Coast Indians. He said, in part:

"I have just concluded an itinerary of over 2000 miles in this State, and, with the one exception of Pala reservation, I find the Indians of California in a disgraceful condition. I speak of the Indians not south of the Tehachepi, but of those who live north of that line. There are 17,000 Indians in California, and over 10,000 of them tonight have no place where they can comfortably lay their heads. Not over 3500 are even moderately provided for. Most of these latter are at Pala. The men who rendered that service were true to their trusts. The land has plenty of water, and is tillable, so they get along.

"I speak of the wretched condition of tribes confined to the rocks, cañons and stone quarries of the central and northern part of the State. They have habitations that are not fit for a goat to live in. I have investigated, and I find that there are people with hardly a thread on their backs, who are exposed to the snows of the mountains and low, clammy swamps, with no nourishment that is fit for them to exist on.

"Going back in the history of California we find that fifty years ago there were nearly 210,000 Indians in Southern California and today there are but 17,500 Indians in the tribes of the State. Think of it. Two hundred and ninety thousand decrease in population in this glorious State of California in the memory of man. One of the most gruesome tragedies in the history of the world. And why? Because the slow grinding process of disease has eaten the vitals out of the nation. No war has caused this decrease nor are natural causes responsible. Away out on the barren rocks of Lake county reservation, I hear the mother crying for her children, as Rachel of old, and it is useless that she cries for. The leaders ask us for men to minister to them, for physicians who can care for their sick."

The speaker gave a series of vivid pictures in which he outlined the terrible state of depravity, hunger and want that exists among the Coast Indians, and when he ceased, many of the men present, among them leading business and professional men of the city, were thoroughly aroused over the situation. About seventy were present and prior to the speaking joined in a dinner in the Colonial dining room of Hotel Green.

ANNUAL ELECTION.

Officers were elected at a meeting of the Pasadena Lodge No. 672, B.P.O.E., last night, thus: Exalted ruler, W. D. Nestor; esteemed leading knight, W. C. Austin; esteemed royal knight, Louis Sage; esteemed lecturing knight, Earl M. Weight; secretary, H. Grimshaw; treasurer, Williams Macgee; trustee, Grant C. Orth; representative to the grand lodge, Richard C. Halsted.

ALLEGES MISMANAGEMENT.

In a report made to the City Council at yesterday morning's session by Superintendent C. W. Kolner of the municipal electric lighting plant, he cites many cases in which the municipal street lighting system under former Superintendent C. C. Glass is alleged to have been unsatisfactory, and states that it will take nearly $19,000 of the city's money to put the system in first-class condition. He practically verified the report made by the experts, Cory and Scattergood, before Glass's removal.

In his recommendations to the City Council, he said: "The proper course to pursue at this time is to install 500 Tungesten lamps, with series of transformers and regulators, with a capacity for 600 of these lamps—cost $17,700. Cost of completing cluster lights as indicated, $1677. The material on hand applicable to street lighting construction will equal the expense of reërecting the seventy-two arc lights, which will be removed from the incandescent zone. Therefore, the total cost will amount to $18,377 for completing the street lighting as indicated."

This means that the arc lights will be placed in another section of the city, where they are more practicable, and that incandescents will be substituted on the residence streets, where heavy trees make the arc lights of practically no value.

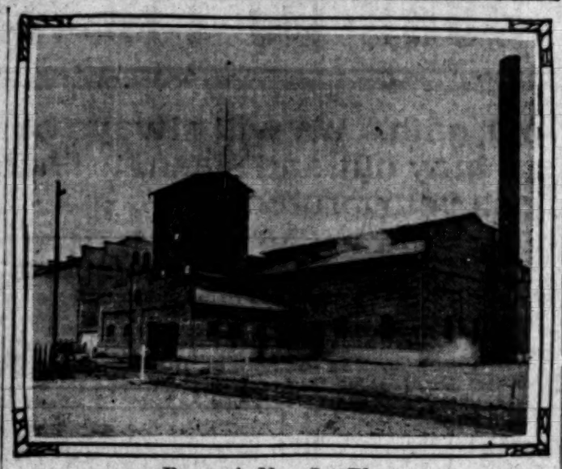
FINE HOME PLANNED.

A. R. Garts, a resident of Chicago, has let the contract to Mathew Slavin of this city for a residence to cost $30,000, and to occupy a fine site recently purchased in Altadena. The house will be on the California bungalow plan. A large patio, 50x70 feet, will form a court in the center of the building. The building will cover an area of 100x115 feet. The house will be located in the center of a fine piece of acreage bounded by Piedmont Drive, Santa Rosa, Mariposa and Santa Anita avenues.

CROWD IN NIGHT PARTY.

Forty-seven pupils, teachers and patrons of the Los Angeles Seminary, headed by Prof. J. G. Baird, started at 1 o'clock Tuesday morning from Sierra Madre to arrive at the summit of Mount Wilson, after walking all the way in time to see the sunrise at 6 o'clock yesterday morning. They spent the day on the peak and no one in the crowd expressed a word of regret that they had endured the night journey to the peak to view the landscape before them, as seen from the mount.

W. R. McElroy, one of the largest owners of rubber in the world, is visiting on the peak with his family and considerable fun has been had at his expense because it is said he climbed the mountain to get a better "rubber."



Pomona's New Ice Plant.

Chill-producing establishment about completed in the valley city at a cost of $125,000.

and R. Troescher of New York are in the McElroy party.

PASADENA HAPPENINGS.

Explosion of distillate in the heating apparatus of one of the greenhouses of D. W. Coolidge, a florist of South Mentor avenue, did damage to the amount of about $200, about 4 o'clock Tuesday morning. The fire was at once quenched by extinguishers handy, but not before valuable plants were destroyed.

City Attorney Wood gave out the following at the meeting of the City Council yesterday morning: "I am of the opinion that the petition for bitulithic pavement on Los Robles avenue does not impose on the Council to proceed under it and that the Council may take proceedings for any sort of work on that avenue which it may deem wise with or without a petition from property owners." This legal advice leaves the Council free to take a petition that was recently received by that body for oiling of the avenue. Considerable objection in certain quarters may develop from this move.

The Men's Club of the Lake-avenue Congregational Church entertained the women of the church with a box social and pleasant programme last evening. Dr. Shire, for many years a missionary in China, spoke on "The Social Life of the Flowery Kingdom."

The local Y.M.C.A. is working hard for the Southern California Y.M.C.A. field and track meet that is to be held at Tournament Park in this city on April 11. A membership contest is also in the schedule of the association, and the spring doings are keeping the members busy.

Over $3500 of the $15,000 necessary for the full payment of the cost of a new Salvation Army hall recently purchased, has been raised. The fund is growing rapidly.

The third annual flower show promises to be a big success, for entries are coming in fast from some of the greatest fruit, flower, vegetable and plant culturists in Southern California. It will open Thursday morning.

The figures in the Buildin- Inspector's office show building permits taken out for the month of March to the amount of $117,732.

SOCIETY NOTES.

At a charmingly-appointed bridge party given yesterday by Mrs. Edward J. Sheean of Center street, the engagement of her sister, Miss Edith Hinds, and Henry A. Doty was formally announced. The dining-room, where the card tables were arranged, was decorated in asparagus plumosus and white carnations, and the color scheme was further carried out with bridal wreath. Prizes were awarded and a collation was served after the games. Those who had the pleasure of first congratulating the bride-elect were: Mmes. John R. Bragdon, William St. John, Ranney, Herbert C. Wolney Craig, Clarence A. Hall, Luther Newby, Linton Tedford, Henry H. Klamroth, Lee Deming, Misses Angie Holmes, Edith Rowland, Delia Masters, Lute Booge and Ethel Hinds. Miss Hinds is the daughter of J. E. Hinds of South Euclid avenue, and Mr. Doty is assistant cashier in the First National Bank in Pasadena.

Mrs. Joseph Foster Rhodes, Jr., of Bellevue Drive, gave a prettily-appointed tea yesterday complimentary to her mother, Mrs. Joseph Bond. The various rooms were profusely decorated with spring blossoms and in the dining-room quantities of white sweet peas were used with ferns. At the tea table Mrs. Henry Vilas and Mrs. Clayton H. Garvey presided and other unbonneted women were Mmes. J. F. Rhodes, C. A. Sharpe, A. H. Smith, Miss Sharpe and the Misses McDougall. One hundred invitations were issued and between 3 and 6 o'clock a large number of society matrons and maids were entertained.

Phelps for wall paper and paints.
Pictures framed at Wadsworth's.
Dr. N. C. Smith moved to Chamber of Commerce building.
Ruskin jewelry, 10 per cent. discount. Wigwam, 61 N. Euclid.

BURBANK.

BURBANK, March 31.—The Berry Association of Tropico and Glendale is erecting a branch office on Front street near the Southern Pacific depot, to be complete for this season's work. This will be more convenient than last year, as all the berries were hauled to Tropico before they were shipped.

The Burbank State Bank is to open its doors tomorrow.

On April 10 the citizens of Burbank will vote for the bonds for the new High School.

CLAREMONT.

CLAREMONT, March 31.—Prof. Fred A. Bacon, director of the School of Music of Pomona College, is spending a few days in Santa Barbara.

After a two weeks' illness, Mrs. C. C. Johnson is able to be up again.

Business Men's Train East.
is distinctively "The Pennsylvania Special." Leaves Chicago 2:45 p.m. daily, runs to New York in eighteen hours over Pennsylvania Short Line. Inquire about it at New Passenger Office, No. 412 South Main street, or write M. F. Van Horn, District Passenger Agent, Los Angeles.

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500 Different Kinds of a Face.
Picture the President of the United States in 500 different attitudes, 500 different expressions, and watch for the supplement which is to come with the Sunday Times of April 5. It is a study from life of the strenuous existence of a "strenuous" man.

ASK your butcher to deliver his meat in paper made from pure wheat straw. If he uses the kind made from filthy rags and the pick-

BLOWS POLAR AIRS.

New Ice Plant About Completed in Pomona in Which Pasadena Capital Is Invested.

POMONA, March 31.—Everything is bustle now at the new plant of the Pomona Valley Ice Company at Second and Reservoir streets in preparation for the season's business. The plant has a capacity of thirty-five tons of ice daily and there are two large storage rooms, each of 1500 tons' capacity. The business is constantly growing and aside from supplying this valley and other Southern California localities, the company will this season handle much desert trade east of here on the Salt Lake Railroad.

About $125,000 has been invested in the plant by Pasadena capitalists, who see a good business future here. The directors are William R. Staats, S. Hazard Halsted, Myron C. Wick, Charles H. Hamilton and F. A. Ford. Manager Frank Johnson is now engaged in superintending the laying of a system of ammonia pipes from the new plant to the pre-cooling plant of the Pomona Fruit Growers' Exchange, just being completed on the Salt Lake tracks, so that the ice company may supply refrigeration for the pre-cooling chambers in the new exchange building.

HOMES MULTIPLY THERE.

Eighteen Thousand Dollars Spent for Buildings in Sierra Madre This Week.

SIERRA MADRE, March 31.—M. H. Bridle, secretary of the Board of Trade, has been tabulating a record of houses recently constructed here. He reports the following ones finished this week: Residence of Mrs. Margaret Mackerras, Central avenue, $4500; residence of J. A. Miller, Auburn and Grandin, $4000; residence, R. R. Wherry, Grand View and Adams, $4400; residence, Mrs. E. Wallser, Highland avenue, $3000; residence, C. W. Page, Mountain Trail and San Gabriel Court, $2200. An addition is being built to the Town Hall, and a substantial brick block is being erected adjoining the Shirley Hotel on Baldwin avenue.

COWS MOVE CITY LOTS.

It has been found that often where property has been subdivided or ranches cut into city lots, that the surveyors' stakes are not always accurate. One ranch owner who had his place surveyed and cut into lots was obliged to have a corps of county surveyors straighten the boundary lines, as it was found the previous survey was not accurate.

This condition was brought about by the changing of the stakes. When this section was sparsely settled and all was ranch property, in plowing the ground a stake would be plowed up, perhaps removed, and when replaced put in the most convenient hole, perhaps several feet from the original place. Then again cows have been tied to these stakes, and, becoming restless, have moved away to some other grazing ground, dragging the stake to this section, with the result that owners have been surprised in the increase of their property or at the shrinkage. Now that boulevards, streets and alleys are being laid out this condition has improved.

CROWD IN CANYONS.

The Pacific Electric railway was obliged to send several extra cars to haul away the crowds coming from the trail and cañons and leaving on the last trip Sunday evening. The trail was lined with travelers all day long, and many participants camped in both the little and big Santa Anita Cañons.

Benham, 514 S. Hill, is sacrificing retail stock of Indian goods this week.

PUT BRAKE ON 'EM.

Eight-Mile-an-Hour Ordinance Now in Prospect in Santa Monica.

SANTA MONICA, March 31.—At the request of property owners, City Attorney Odell is preparing an ordinance proposing the regulation of the speed of automobiles. It is designed to make it a misdemeanor to drive a machine through the streets of the city at a speed greater than eight miles per hour.

Henry C. Holwedel has been employed by the city to inspect all concrete that enters into the construction of the new pier at the foot of Colorado avenue.

For the purpose of giving two wide streets through the entire city from north to south, for the purpose of connecting the proposed Washington boulevard with the San Vicente highway, the Park Commission has recommended that at Front street Fourth be connected with Third by a reverse curve, and that Seventh be connected with Eighth in like manner at Colorado. By adopting this suggestion the steep climb of the hill in South Santa Monica will be avoided, and it will not be necessary to bridge the arroyo at Eighth.

The funeral of the late John McLeod will be conducted tomorrow afternoon at his late residence on Seventh street.

In celebration of the twenty-third anniversary of the organization of the local lodge, the Independent Order of Good Templars entertained members and friends at Hull's Hall this evening. There was an address by Rev. Frank Stevens.

Considerable progress was made at a mass meeting of citizens tonight toward raising the capital stock for the loction here of the Lutweiler pump manufactory. The meeting had been called by the Board of Trade, and was addressed by members of that organization and property owners who are interested in seeing that the city secures new manufacturing industries and enterprises.

The No-Saloon League, which is taking an active part in the effort now being made to dry up the saloons of Santa Monica, will hold a mass meeting at the City Hall on Thursday evening. Among the speakers will be Sherman Page, W. I. Hull, A. J. Wallace of Los Angeles and City Attorney S. W. Odell of Santa Monica.

FOR WARSHIP VISITORS.

GET TOGETHER ON BOAT RATE.

TWENTY-FIVE-CENT PRICE IN LONG BEACH LIKELY.

When Battleships Come It Is Expected the Chamber of Commerce Will Take Charge of Lower Deck of the Pier and Supervise Handling of the Public.

LONG BEACH, March 31.—At a conference held last night by members of the City Council, officials of the Chamber of Commerce and a number of boat owners, a plan was practically agreed to whereby definite announcement will be made in a few days that the rate to the battleships from Long Beach will be only 25 cents. The Chamber of Commerce will have entire control of the pier, and will stand the expense of ticket agents, wharfage charges and floats and barges at the warships. The boat owners will make the 25 cents per capita clear of all expenses, except for the operation of their craft.

Under the system proposed, there will be a dividing line down the center of the lower deck of the pier. Passengers to the ships will pass down the right side to the outer wharf, and those returning will go ashore on the left side. All persons merely sightseeing will be limited to the use of the upper promenade and the sun parlor. It is said that most of the boat owners have agreed to this proposition.

SEASHORE ECHOES.

The Chamber of Commerce has adopted a resolution memorializing the City Council to provide in the next tax levy for the creation of an advertising, amusement and promotion fund, which can be done by ordinance under the new charter, and which will place upon the entire taxable property of the city a burden now borne by a few. No amount was specified, but it is hoped to create a fund of between $30,000 and $40,000 annually.

After a week's advertising, the mass meeting of the Lincoln-Roosevelt League at the Auditorium last night drew an audience of sixty-five men and thirty women. There were addresses by Attorney Frank Tyrell of Los Angeles and Frank S. Forbes, an organizer for the club. The only applause noticeable was at the mention of Secretary Taft's name. No attempt was made to complete the organization of the local club.

A scorpion, eight inches long, gliding out from a small pile of surveyor's stakes, attacked Victor Hayes, a surveyor at his house on American avenue today and struck him upon the second finger of his left hand, which began to swell immediately. Hayes used his handkerchief as a tourniquet just below the wound and then ran next door to Dr. Holden's residence where the washing of the wound and the application of antidotes probably saved Hayes's life.

Frank K. Wilson or Coons, who burglarized the Cynthia apartments last week, and was caught half an hour later and shot while attempting to escape, was given a preliminary hearing before Justice Brayton today and held to answer in the Superior Court. Wilson's wounded arm is still giving him considerable pain.

Fred McCullah, assistant postmaster, was last night elected Exalted Ruler of the local Elks. Other officers chosen were: Leading Knight, J. E. Ward; Loyal Knight, Edgar McFadyn; Lecturing Knight, A. L. Parmley; Secretary, Henry Klaproth; Treasurer, W. J. Wolff; Tyler, L. D. B. Davidson; delegate to grand lodge, A. H. Kenniston.

Between 5 and 7 o'clock this morning E. B. Counts caught eighty-seven 2½ trout from the outer wharf, the first big run in several years. This afternoon Capt. Harry Pedlar caught a 200-pound jewfish.

A hat which has traveled about the United States for many years visited Long Beach today. The skypiece which is of the broad-brimmed army variety, is a special pet of Wells-Fargo messengers and has been kept going until it carries scores and scores of tags. It was started originally from Dover, Delaware, and has been in nearly every State in the Union.

Mrs. H. W. Powers, aged 83, died this morning after a short illness. She was a native of New York. A son and three daughters survive.

A young woman with a new born babe was found by the police in destitute circumstances several weeks ago in a shack on East First street. She told a pitiful story of desertion and the police have been looking for Emerson Beyer, the father of the child. He was caught at Alamitos Bay yesterday and entered a plea of guilty to a charge of desertion and failure to provide. He will be sentenced Thursday.

While engaged in a game of hand ball at the High School yesterday, Martin Shrode, aged 16, fell and dislocated his left kneecap, a painful injury which will incapacitate him for some time.

Mrs. John Rockwell, aged 71 years died this morning. She came here three years ago from Boston.

VAINLY SEARCH FOR HIM.

Mystery of Disappearance of Redondo Man Deepens With Passing of Another Day.

REDONDO, March 31.—The strange disappearance of James H. Mathes, local agent of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company and of the Los Angeles and Redondo Railway Company remains a mystery, and continues to be the chief topic of conversation. Many theories are advanced to account for the young man's absence, but none are entirely free from elements of improbability.

One of these theories has to do with the presence on board the United States cruiser Tennessee of three of Mathes's cousins, and it is said that he may have gone on Friday morning to Venice, and in a fit of despondency and discouragement enlisted in the naval service.

Some credence is given to this theory because of the fact that his salary had recently been cut down somewhat by reason of the withdrawal of commissions on the sale of certain tickets. This is said to have disturbed him greatly, and he had more than once intimated that he might quit his job. The management was aware of this attitude of the missing man, and having a high regard for his business ability and not wishing to lose his services, had determined the day before his disappearance to increase his salary so as to make up for the loss of the commissions that had been withdrawn.

It also transpired today that while not accustomed to the use of intoxicants, he had for the past ten days or two weeks been drinking heavily. Being of a nervous high-strung temperament, it is believed that his mentality may have become affected by his potations, and that this would account for his abnormal conduct—if he went away voluntarily, and is really alive.

The local lodge of Modern Woodmen has tried to get in communication with the officials of the order in San Francisco today with the view to investigate this feature by interviewing the officers of the Tennessee.

Another theory relates to the view of foul play. It is said that he has given mortal offense to certain longshoremen, and that these may have made away with him. There is little to base this theory on. Moreover, it is difficult to understand how murder could have been committed at the place along the beach in front of houses—at the time when many are presumed to have been stirring about.

Several search parties have been out all day in the foothills about this city, on the most plausible of all theories—that he had wandered away in a demented condition and succumbed to exposure.

Leather pillow sale, 514 S. Hill, choice today only $2.

OCEAN PARK.

OCEAN PARK, March 31.—Spurred to action by members of the civic organizations and women's clubs, the City Trustees have declared war on rats. The rodents that infest the beach, with threats of conveying the bubonic plague to the human family, are to be exterminated as rapidly and effectively as two dozen patent traps in the hands of the men of the street department can do the trick.

A well-attended musical recital was given on Pier avenue last night as a benefit for the Methodist Episcopal Church (colored) of Santa Monica. Popular numbers on the programme were old plantation melodies.

ARREST DISARMS CUPID.

Fiances of Man Accused of Robbery Wires Mother for Money to Pay Her Fare Back Home.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

RENO (Nev.) March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Following the report of the arrest of Albert Miner in San Francisco for the robbery of the Wells-Fargo Company here and the postoffice at Sparks, Mrs. Irene Cooley this afternoon received a telegram from her daughter, Miss Mabel Hamilton, asking for money to bring her home.

Miner and Miss Hamilton were engaged and were to be married during their stay in San Francisco. The mother stated that they left Reno about ten days ago, but she has not yet heard of their being married.

Since Miner's arrest and accompanying disgrace his fiancée has decided to forsake her love and with the money forwarded by her mother will return the latter part of the week. Miner is well known here, where he worked as assistant baggage man for the Southern Pacific for some time. He was arrested at one time for forging names to railroad pay checks, but acquitted for lack of evidence.

MAY RAISE DEPUTIES' PAY.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—The District Court of Appeals today decided a point of constitutional law in the case of Thomas R. Harrold, deputy County Surveyor of Fresno county, against H. E. Barnum, Auditor of the county of Fresno, that will settle the question of increased salaries so far as county or municipal deputy officials are concerned.

The question was whether the act increasing the salary of the deputy comes within the prohibition of the articles of the State constitution, which provides that the compensation of any county, city or municipal officer shall not be increased after his election during his term of office.

The Appellate Court reversed the judgment of the lower court and held that this section of the constitution applies only to officers who have a fixed and definite term, and that it does not apply to the appointive officers, who hold at the pleasure of the appointing power. In other words, the law increasing the salaries of appointed deputies, during the term of office of their chief, is not at variance with the provisions of the constitution mentioned.

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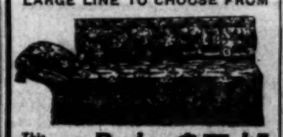

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HOME OF ANTLERS.

ELKS PLAN TO BUILD A HALL.

WILL GO AHEAD AT ONCE IN SAN BERNARDINO.

Propose to Erect a Structure to Cost Between Twenty-five and Thirty Thousand Dollars—Tropical Gardens in Rear for Summer Fetes a Feature.

SAN BERNARDINO, March 31.—The local Elks will go ahead at once with their plans for building an elaborate hall. The new home is to cost between $25,000 and $30,000, and bids will be advertised for at once. The Elks' Building Association, which has the plans for the structure, has also secured an excellent site on the north side of Fourth street, between D and E streets, which is sufficiently extensive to allow tropical gardens in the rear of the hall, where summer fetes will be held.

The lodge last night elected the following officers: Exalted Ruler, Hugh L. Dickson; Esteemed Leading Knight, G. R. Owen; Esteemer Loyal Knight, Fred C. Drew; Esteemed Lecturing Knight, M. L. Parcels; Secretary, R. M. Armstrong; Treasurer, John Anderson, Jr.; Tiler, Z. D. Humphrey; representative to the Grand Lodge, to be held at Dallas, Tex., E. H. Lyman.

MAYOR'S "FOOL" PACKAGE.

Mayor J. J. Hanford will hand Fire Chief George Stephens an April fool package tomorrow in the form of an order for his suspension, couched in peppery language. The order was filed with City Clerk Allison today, and states:

"George M. Stephens, I have this day suspended you from the office of chief of the fire department for the following reasons: You not only withheld from the Mayor the knowledge you had of the appointment of Fred F. Ruch by the Fire Committee several months ago, thereby illegally filching from the city treasury $315 without any authority of law, but you aided and abetted said committee in making such appointment, all of which is contrary to the letter and spirit of the charter; that you are incompetent to handle the department of San Bernardino, in so far as decorum among its members and discipline in the department is concerned; that you have allowed such practices as forceably driving Chinamen down the sliding pole to be practiced by the members ever since the acceptance of the office of chief. Relying on the Councilmanic combination of the solid three, Garner, Irving and Hagerman, for the security in your position, you aim to thwart the prerogative required by the charter giving the Mayor general control and supervision of all expenditures of city funds. I charge you with nepotism in carrying your son, George, a youth not yet of age, upon the pay roll of the fire department as a substitute.

[Signed] "J. J. HANFORD."

SAN BERNARDINO BRIEFS.

The residence of J. G. Sloan took fire this evening, resulting in a loss of between $300 and $400. Shortly before the fire was discovered gas fitters had completed repairs to the gas pipes. It is supposed that in testing the pipes a tiny leak occurred. Before the fire was discovered it had spread between the walls to the roof.

The board of directors of the Arrowhead Hotel Association announces that the Linnard lease has been canceled, and that the hotel will not close tomorrow, as announced by Linnard. What the nature of the differences were which brought about the cancellation of the lease, which was to run ten years, is unknown.

ALCOHOL FIGHT STIRRED.

Municipalities in Orange County to Have Elections This Month. Warm Campaigns.

SANTA ANA, March 31.—On April 13, four of the five incorporated cities in this county will hold municipal elections, and in three of the elections some phase of the saloon question cuts a figure, and will make the campaign particularly lively. Newport Beach, Anaheim, Fullerton and Orange are to hold elections on that day. At Orange the campaign will be light, there being no contest for City Trustees and only two in the city, Marshal and Clerk.

At Newport Beach a determined fight is being made to elect a Board of City Trustees that will throw the only saloon license in the city into the sea. Last summer the beach city decided to allow the establishment of a saloon. The experiment has not proven satisfactory, in that the better class of trade has not been attracted to the saloon, and a large number of non-resident property owners who desire to leave their families at the beach during the summer are protesting to the further existence of the saloon.

Anaheim has the Sunday closing proposition submitted to the people. The liquor men are putting up a bitter fight, and have been using the boycott in a few instances as a weapon.

At Fullerton the anti-saloon people claim the liquor question is an issue. There are two tickets in the field there, and the anti-saloon people believe it is the purpose of the faction backing one of the tickets to allow liquor licenses issued to one or two hotels should their ticket be successful. The anti-saloon forces declare that the pro-hotel license people are hard at work shielding their real object.

BAD FOR WEEDS.

Tomorrow Santa Ana will have a weed-killing day. The city has been laid off in districts, and a captain made responsible for cleaning up the frontages in his district.

RECEIVER FOR BANK.

Ventura Financial Institution Is Placed in the Hands of One Yesterday.

VENTURA, March 31.—The bank of William Collins & Sons of this city was yesterday on motion of the Bank Commissioners, placed in the hands of a receiver, J. C. Daly being the selection made for the receivership, with bonds fixed at the sum of $250,000. The proceeding was brought about by a complaint filed against D. Edward Collins of Oakland, president of the bank, and J. S. Collins, his brother, who had been vice-president. Both the Collins were present. Assistant Atty.-Gen. Beebe was present for the Bank Commissioners. The bank was closed in November, but the receivership has been staved off this long in order that a compromise might be effected with the Collins bank of Oakland. It was feared that the receiver of the northern bank might insist that he had a right to act as receiver of this bank, also, since the claim is that the Ventura bank is under the same jurisdiction as the northern bank, having the same president. The Ventura bank owes the northern bank $171,000, and it is thought a suit will result to decide how this should be settled. The Ventura bank has already offered securities to cover this indebtedness and $20,000, but the Oakland bank receiver would not accept the offer.

VENTURA NOTES.

Charles Barnard, Frank Cook and Charles Donlon have been appointed appraisers of the estate of the late Leopoldo Schiappapietra, who died in Italy a few weeks ago. The estate is valued at $2,250,000.

J. M. Miller, ex-Sheriff of this county, but who has resided in Los Angeles for many years, has returned to this city with his family to make his home.

WOMEN EXCITED.

Scheme of Waging Saloon Campaign in Ventura Arouses Them—Pioneer Woman Ill.

VENTURA, March 31.—Ventura temperance women are up in arms over the report that some woman from outside the city is spreading anti-temperance sentiment in the homes. The woman in question is ostensibly selling books in order that she may the better get into the homes and talk for the saloons. As there is a hot anti-saloon campaign now on in town, in which many local women are doing all they can for the anti-saloon movement, the fact that one of their sex is working among them on the other tack has aroused a high pitch of excitement.

PIONEER WOMAN ILL.

Mrs. Merrill Barlow of this county, an aged pioneer, mother of ex-Congressman Barlow, and relict of Gen. Barlow of Ohio, who was Attorney-General of that State at the close of the war, is lying very ill at the home of her son, Ed Barlow, in the Mound district. Mrs. Barlow was stricken with paralysis Saturday, and there is little hope that she will recover. Her children have been sent for. A few weeks ago while in Los Angeles at a department store she fell and broke her right wrist.

SANTA BARBARA.

SANTA BARBARA, March 31.—The Highway Commissioners decided, late yesterday afternoon, to accept Engineer Dickinson's recommendation favoring the coast rigbway, Gaviota Pass, Los Olivos and Foxen Canon, for the main route of El Camino Real through this county, reaching Santa Ynez Mission, Santa Ynez and Lompoc by means of laterals. The next move will be the surveying of the route for the proposed road, the engineer's report to the commissioners, and its approval by the County Surveyor as to the grades and alignments. Then the whole proposition will be placed before the County Supervisors, who will decide upon a date for a bond election to finance the project.

It is rather early to estimate the cost of the job, but Engineer Dickinson says that he does not see how the road can be built under $10,000 per mile, which will make the total cost of the road about $1,000,000.

When Admiral Evans arrives at Paso Robles hot springs, he will be greeted by a cluster of 200 white carnations sent there, by the Executive Committee of the Civic League of this city, which has in charge the arrangements for the big flower festival in honor of the fleet when it arrives here on April 25.

A few desirable suites now vacant at Hotel Green.

WATER RATES RISE.

Users in Hemet Country Petition for Schedule to Be Fixed by County Supervisors.

SAN JACINTO, March 31.—Thirty taxpayers of the town of Hemet have petitioned the Board of Supervisors to come to their relief in the matter of the rate the Hemet Town Water Company shall charge its customers. The petition, which will come before the Board of Supervisors Wednesday, prays that body to fix the rate the Hemet Town Water Company shall be allowed to ask, as provided in the State legislative act of 1885. From a flat rate of $1.50 per month for domestic water, the new schedule makes a minimum charge of $1.50 for not to exceed 200 gallons per day. This means 18½ cents per 100 cubic feet.

The irrigationists on the Hemet tract and at Valle Vista are also complaining of an increase in water rates, and in the latter place it is reported today that a number of people have taken steps to bring suit against the water company. The companies affected are the Hemet Town Water Company and the Lake Hemet Water Company, both of which are owned by W. F. Whittier, a San Francisco capitalist and founder of the town of Hemet. Mr. Whittier's representatives in Hemet say that the slight advance in the water rates is not exorbitant or excessive, and that no discrimination has been shown, and that the company will have no difficulty in convincing the Supervisors that the new schedule is just.

The outcome of the controversy will be watched with great interest in this valley.

CORONA.

CORONA, March 31.—The Corona Home Telephone and Telegraph Company is planning to increase its capital stock from $25,000 to $50,000.

Enos & Bruckman have the contract to lay 3700 feet of vitrified pressure flume for the Call Fruit Company and 2000 feet for W. H. Jamieson.

The W.C.T.U. held a parlor social this afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. H. Thompson, where the ladies were invited to meet the county president, Mrs. Kyes, and Mrs. Sheldon, county superintendent of soldiers' and sailors' work.

Misses Madeline Willard, Blanche Stafford, Elsie Armitage and Bethel Barth of Pomona College and Joy and Eloise Jameson of Stanford are home for the spring vacation.

A few desirable suites now vacant at Hotel Green.

FIGHT OVER WOMAN.

Mining Promoter in Jail for Alleged Abuse of Companion in an Automobile.

Because she refused to drink with him, Frank Allison, a mining promoter, is accused of dragging a woman companion out of an automobile last evening near Eastlake Park and of striking her several times. When Arthur Ragsdale, the chauffeur, interfered, Allison is said to have attacked him. After a struggle, Ragsdale overpowered Allison and with the assistance of a deputy constable at the park drove him to the County Jail. Allison was charged with battery. Ragsdale is expected to appear against him.

The woman, whose name could not be learned, was attended by a physician and was taken to her home. She suffered a contusion of the forehead and several bruises.

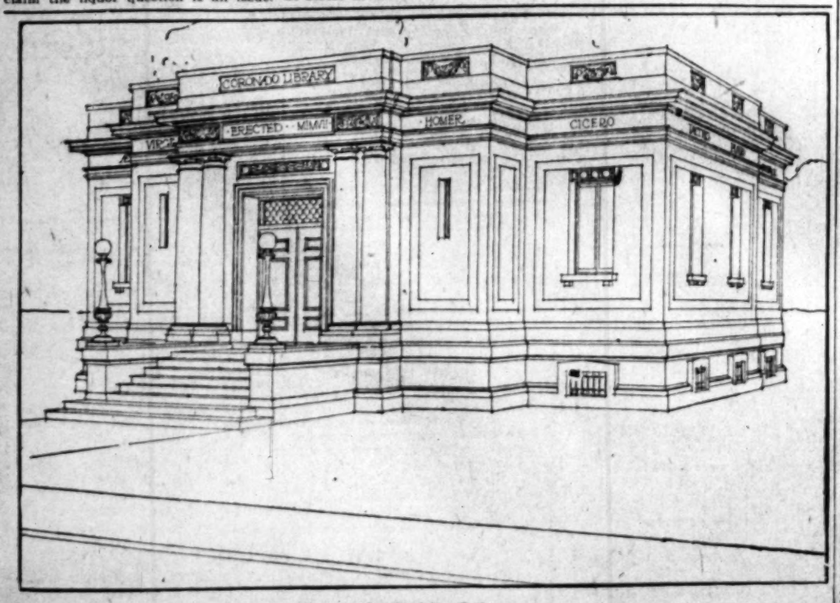
Ragsdale, who has an automobile for hire, was called to a local café and Allison and the woman got into his machine. They drove nearly to Pasadena and then started back to Los Angeles. Allison is said to have attempted to force the young woman to drink liquor, but she refused it. He then ordered Ragesdale to stop at Eastlake Park. The woman attempted to jump out of the car, but Allison is alleged to have seized her and then to have struck her in the face. Then, it is said, he caught her by the hair and pulled her out of the machine. Ragsdale leaped to the ground and seized Allison. The latter struck the chauffeur before he could get hold of him. Ragsdale called the constable at the park and Allison was arrested and taken to the County Jail.

NEGRESS SHOOTS HERSELF.

With a note pinned to her waist and a bullet wound in her right breast, Alva McCool, a negress, was found lying on the sidewalk at Hewitt and Stevenson streets about 1 o'clock this morning. Her wound is not fatal, the physicians say, who examined her at the Receiving Hospital. In the note she said that she wanted to die because she could not see J. E. Carter, who was with the Great Fer-Don Medicine Company. Before going on the operating table she admitted to the police that she shot herself but would make no further statement. Patrolman Robbins, who found the woman, says that she had been at the Canadian Hotel during the night with several negroes. It was within a half a block of the hotel where she shot herself. The woman lives at No. 654 Mateo street.

POLICE GUARD WOMAN.

An alleged attempt on the part of her husband to take Mrs. Agnes Bell from the home of her parents at No. 1928 Bonita avenue yesterday morning resulted in a guard from the University Police Station being placed on the house. According to the report at the University station, Mrs. Bell separated from her husband some time ago. Recently she has been ill. Yesterday morning it is alleged Bell visited the house with an ambulance and wanted to remove his wife. She refused to leave and a large crowd collected about the place. The police were called to prevent trouble.



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NEW SKIN REMEDY

Creates Big Stir; Drug Stores Crowded With Sufferers.

For several weeks past the Owl and other leading drug stores in this city have been crowded with persons desiring a supply of poslam, the new cure for eczema. This is the drug which has created such a stir throughout the country since its discovery one year ago.

For the convenience of those who use poslam for pimples, blackheads, blotches, red nose, acne, herpes and other minor skin troubles, a special 50-cent package has been adopted, in addition to the regular two-dollar jar, which is now on sale at all leading stores.

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GREETING FOR RACER.

(Continued From First Page.)

is petted and pampered like a blooded steed.

Just outside of Azusa, the racer was making good time when a tire, which had worn itself thin helping the heavy machine across the desert, went flat. While it was being repaired Sirtori had time to answer questions. He is a rich man, 27 years old, who is taking part in the great contest purely for the fun of the thing. He is spending a fortune to show what his car, which was built in Milan, can do. He is an ideal sportsman. This is his first tour of America and he is enjoying it thoroughly.

BRAVE FIGHT.

Sirtori has ploughed through snowdrifts, through which the Thomas was hauled by four-horse teams; has crossed mountains which the American leader rolled beneath, and he has traversed roads which he never saw before. He seems to overcome all obstacles and "bobs up serenely."

That Sirtori speaks English well has been a great advantage to him. He is polite, even under the most trying circumstances, and this has helped him out of many ugly situations.

When asked how he succeeded in getting enough sleep, Sirtori answered that he would take his rest after the race. He has often driven thirty-six hours at a stretch, and then slept only six hours before resuming the journey.

His struggle with the snowdrifts on the run to Chicago was followed by a steady battle with roads that were almost impassable until Ogden was reached. From that point the going was better, but when sixty miles out of Ogden, and hot on the trail of the American racer, the frame of the big Zust snapped, the car had to be shipped back for repairs and two days were lost. To this delay was added the three days spent in crossing the hills over the Aspen tunnel.

OUR ROADS "VERY BAD."

In speaking of the broken frame, yesterday, Sirtori walked around to the right side of the car, patted the long steel bar, which has been bolted on, and said: "It is the same car that left New York. We haven't rebuilt." To prove his statement that the roads of Los Angeles county are "very bad," he pointed to the gasoline tank of his machine, which was battered almost flat.

The Zust's motor is the most interesting part of the machine. It is four cylinder, forty-horse-power one. Equipped for the race, the auto weighs 5000 pounds, and it contrasted strongly with the machines which escorted it to the city, almost every one of which weighs less than half as much.

Antonio Scarfoglio, the companion of Sirtori, is the representative of the London Daily Mail and is only 21 years old. He does not speak English well, though he can write the language. He made a hit with the local Italians by his account of the remarkable journey.

Another interesting occupant of the car yesterday was "Shorty Vidy," who piloted the crew from Goldfield across the desert. He will leave the Zust at Santa Barbara.

After reaching San Francisco the machine will be shipped to Seattle, and from there to Valdez, Alaska, where the run across the snow and ice will be begun.

FRENCH CAR AT TONOPAH.

The French car in the New York-to-Paris race reached Tonopah shortly after 7 o'clock last night and was escorted to town by a half-dozen touring machines. It will leave early this morning and will have an escort for some miles. The route from Goldfield will be via Rhyolite, where a grade will be taken on, thence to Ballarat and to Bakersfield.

The crew consists of Bourcier St. Chaffray, M. Autran and M. Lascaris, the last named an attorney of Paris, who speaks English fluently. Autran is the designer of the competing car and a well-known inventor and manufacturer in France. St. Chaffray is a representative of the Paris Matin.

After the arrival at Seattle the car will be shipped by vessel to Valdez, Alaska, and proceed thence by way of Behring Straits to Paris over the northern Siberian road. The De Dion car is in excellent condition, having been thoroughly overhauled at Tonopah.

The crew was banquetted tonight and given a big reception and dance at the Casey. Preparations are being made for the similar entertainment of the German car's crew.

THE THOMAS AT SEATTLE.

The American racer is at Seattle preparing for the run across the snow and ice of Alaska. At the last moment, when it was thought the Thomas would be allowed to ship to Vladivostok, orders were received to cross Alaska. The car will leave Seattle this morning at 10 o'clock on the steamship Santa Clara for Valdez. From there it will be driven to Nome, no matter what the condition of the trails may be. George Schuster is in charge.

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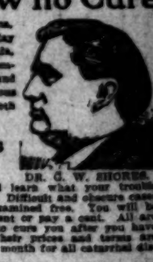

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BUSINESS. Barometer of the Markets—Commercial.

FINANCIAL.

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Los Angeles, April 1, 1908.

BANK CLEARINGS. Bank clearings yesterday were $1,964,432.97. For the corresponding day of 1907, $2,241,420.40; for the same day of 1906, $1,607,113.24.

Monday	$1,421,477.43
Tuesday	1,764,425.77
Total	$3,185,903.20
Same time, 1907	$2,786,988.39
Same time, 1906	4,405,522.91
	4,327,474.75

Following are the five quotations on general and mining securities listed on the Los Angeles Stock Exchange, ground floor, I. W. Hellman building, Fourth and Main streets, for yesterday's session of the exchange.

OIL STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked
Amalgamated Oil	$ 53.00	$ 62.00
Associated Oil	28.37½	27.00
Brookshire Oil		2.15
Columbia	.99½	1.00
Continental	.75	.91
Edmonton Oil	.15½	.16
Globe		.70
Home	.10	.15
Mexican Petroleum		1.40
Pac. Pet. Petroleum Co	.35	
Final Oil Co		.25
Olinda Oil Co		.75
Peerless		17½
United Petroleum	207.00	211.00
Western Union	235.00	238.00
	75.00	

BANK STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked
American National		$125.00
American savings Bank	$130.00	140.00
Bank of Los Angeles		120.00
Bank of So. California		130.00
Broadway Bank & Trust	235.00	
California savings Bank		130.00
Central National Bank	140.00	
Central Trust Co		110.00
Citizens' National	200.00	225.00
Commercial National		147.00
Dominguez savings Bank	220.00	
Farmers & Mer. Nat'l	295.00	300.00
First National	240.00	415.00
German-American Savings	260.00	310.00
Globe savings Bank	102.00	117.00
Home savings Bk. of L. A	200.00	
Merchants' National	425.00	
Merchants' Trust Co		80.00
Nat'l Bank of California	245.00	300.00
Nat'l Bank of Commerce		230.00
Security savings Bank	240.00	300.00
The Southern Trust Co	42.50	71.00

*Bonds.

	Bid.	Asked
Associated Oil Co		80
California Pacific R.R		101
Corona Power & W. Co		100
Compania Water Co		100
Edison Elec. Co., 1s R		106
Ed. Electric Co., old issue		97½
Home Telephone Co		79
Los Ang. Ry. Co., 1st Refg		75
L. A. Stove Co		92
L. A. Traction Co. 6s	100	
L. A. Railway Co.		95
Mission Trans. & R. Co		85
Pacific Light & Power Co		
Pasadena H. T. & T. Co		100
Pasadena Com. Water Co		100
San Diego H. T. & T. Co		100
Santa Barbara Elec. Ry		95
Southern Water Co	100	
Temescal Water Co		
Union Transportation Co	100	
U. S. L. D. T. & T. Co	85½	90
		88

*Prices include accrued interest.

INDUSTRIALS AND PUBLIC UTILITIES.

	Bid.	Asked.
Cal. Portland Cement Co		$ 75.00
California Hospital		30.00
Citizens' Electric pfd	$ 73.00	80.00
Edison Electric com	90.00	95.00
Home Telephone pfd	46.62½	47.00
Home Telephone com	5.25	
L. A. Brewing Co. com	30.00	
L. A. Investment Co	2.07	2.20
Occidental Life Ins. Co		150.00
Pac. Mutual Life Ins. Co	190.00	225.00
Riverside H. T. & T. Co		30.00
San Diego H. T. & T. Co		23.00
S. Monica H. T. & T. Co		23.00
Seaside Water Co		97.00
Title G. & Trust Co. pfd	118.00	200.00
Title I. & Trust Co. pfd	132.00	145.00
Title L. & Trust Co. com	132.00	145.00
Title L. & Trust, Sec. C	132.00	145.00
U. G. I. & T. & T. pfd	40.00	47.50
Whittier H. T. & T. Co		90.00

SALES: 50 Associated Oil at 27.00.

MINING STOCKS.

California—Greenwater District—

	Bid.	Asked.
Clark Copper Co		.92
Furnace Creek Copper Co	.12½	.50
Furnace Valley Copper	.01	.03
Lampland Copper Co	.01	.02½
South Furnace Creek		.04
Miscellaneous—		
California Hills M. Co	.00½	.01
Consolidated Mines Co	.00½	.01½
Slate-Argus G. M. Co	.00½	.01
Nevada—Fairview District—		
Fairview Central		.09
Goldfield District—		
Goldfield Con. Mines	5.65	5.75
Goldfield-Wild Horse	.00½	.07
Gold Storm Kbg. G. M. Co		.02
Rev. Goldfield Dev. Co	.02	.07
Jolnnie District—Nye county—		
Johnnie Con. G. M. Co	.03½	.04
Mohawk-Johnnie		.04
Searchlight District—		
Cyprus Nobile		.30½
Colorado Can. M. & M. Co	.00½	.01
Gold Coin		.91
Nevada Searchlight	.00½	.01½
Quartette		.01
Searchlight M. & M. Co		16.00
Searchlight Standard		1.02
Searchlight Western	.01½	.02

SALES: 25,000 Johnnie Consolidated at 3½@4; 5,000 do. at 3½; 2000 do. at 3½, H. G.

THE MARKETS.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

New fruits, new vegetables and an abundance of nearly all products were the feature of the market yesterday. The first blackberries of the season arrived from Montebello and sold for 40 cents a basket. Artichokes from the county also made their initial appearance and brought 50 cents a dozen. The first Texas Bermuda onions were received in a good sized shipment, and owing to the exceedingly high price prevailing on onions the lowest price set was $3 a crate. There were also potatoes arrivals and the only offering of this kind consisted of a couple of sacks of Nevada Yellow Globes of an inferior quality.

The storing of eggs has become so general that prices are more strengthened than ever. Yesterday the demand was so strong that an advance of 1 cent a dozen was registered in fresh candled selects. Receipts were heavy, 317 cases in all. On the Produce Exchange there were sales of 115 cases, a few of which were Northern.

Weakness in butter still prevails. Receipts were heavy, 26,465 pounds. There were large offerings of creamery extras, considerably below quoted prices. Other grades are moving slowly owing to the cheapness of the best grade.

Cheese arrivals were 2254 pounds and nearly every variety on the list was offered in fair quantity. Northern fresh was in chief demand and 29 cases were sold on 'change. Eastern cheese sells well. Tillare also is moving steadily.

Poultry receipts seem daily to become smaller and this fact is causing considerable relief to the wholesale merchants. The greatest bulk of this season's potatoes have been cleaned and the new crop is expected in large quantities before the middle of this month. There have been no marked advances in prices, only a general firming-up in most varieties. Receipts yesterday were 220 packs. Sweet potato arrivals were 61 packs. Yellows are holding strong at $2.15 per hundred.

Fresh beans are proving the bulk of arrivals at present, and as a rule they are of excellent quality. Receipts reported were 834 packs of different varieties. Small whites and lentils were not up.

Red-leaf cabbage is coming in from San Francisco and brings 2 cents a pound. The celery season is about finished and small arrivals from immediate outlying districts are supplying the market. The prices have a very wide range, from $1 to $4 per crate, according to quality. Jerusalem artichokes sell for $1 a box and are about exhausted in supply. Rhubarb brings from $1.65 to $3 a box.

Tangerines are selling better than for some time past, while blood oranges, too, are moving more rapidly. Apples were in fair demand and 625 boxes, principally from Riverside county, were received. Pippins are the best sellers at present. Pears are going very slowly.

Prices Current.

EGGS—Fresh California ranch, selected, 19@20; fresh ranch, local, case count, 16@17; northern case count, 15@16.

BUTTER—Creamery, extras, 47½; creamery, firsts, 46; dairy butter, 35; cooking, 16@18; western, extra, 26@27½.

OLEO — Extra fancy, 16@18; choice, 14@16; standard, 12@14; Butterine, 12@13 in tubs, 10 more for 1-lb. rolls, 50 for 2-lb. rolls.

CHEESE—Cal. Anchor, 15; Cal. Y. A., 19; storage cheese, 13; northern, fresh, 14@15; eastern skimmed, 11½@13½; Longhorns, 16@18½; N. Y. twins, 17; singles, 17@17½; hand cheese, 15@16; Swiss, 23@28; Imp., 32; Limburger, 21@22; Dom. chedd. 17; brick cream 20@21; Dom. tub, 17½; Dom. block, 19; Roquefort, 44; Edam, 20@22 per case, 9.25; Tulare, 15@16.

BEANS—Pinks, No. 1, 3.50@3.75; Lady Washington, No. 1, 3.50@4.00; small white, No. 1, 3.75@4.00; Limas, No. 1, 5.00; American Mottle, 3.50@3.75 per lb.; black eye, 3.00.

DRIED FRUITS — Apples, evaporated, 10@12½; blackberries, 60 1-lb. cartons, 10; Cal. prunes, fancy, 40-lb. boxes, 10@7½. Currants, Vostizzas, bulk, recleaned, 10½; fancy, 10 1-lb. packages, 11; fancy, 10 4-lb. packages, 12. Dates, imported, Fards, fancy, 6c, 7@8½; Fards, fancy, 12s, 8@9; Golden, fancy, 6c, 6½; Golden, fancy, 30 1-lb. packages, 8. Figs, new, per box, 50 ½-lb. bricks, 2.25; White, 10 1-lb. bricks, 90; White, Premier," 10 lb. 1.60; White, "Medal," bricks, 50 lb., 1.50; White, 50-lb. boxes, fancy, 2½; White, imported, 10-lb. box, 1.50; White, imported, 50-lb. box, 6.00; Black, loose, 2c, 1.00@1.25 box. Nectarines, fancy, 7c, 8; Peaches, fancy, Muirs, 12½; choice, 8c, 10½; choice, sacks, 11; fancy, peeled, 25c, 28. Pears, fancy, 6c, 7; Pears, fancy, Jumbo, 25c, 14. Prunes, fancy San Jose, per lb., 20-30, 25c, 8½; 40-50, 25c, 7½; 50-60, 25c, 6½; 60-70, 25c, 6; 70-80, 25c, 5½; 80-90, 25c, 5; 90-100, 25c, 4½; 100-120, 25c, 4; 120-140, 25c, 3½; 140-160, 25c, 3; 160-180, 25c, 2½; 180-200, 25c, 2; 200-220, 25c, 1½; 220-240, 25c, 1½; 240-260, 25c, 1½; 260-280, 25c, 1½; 280-300, 25c, 1½; 300-320, 25c, 1½; 320-340, 25c, 1½; 340-360, 25c, 1½; 360-380, 25c, 1½; 380-400, 25c, 1½; 400-420, 25c, 1½; 420-440, 25c, 1½; 440-460, 25c, 1½; 460-480, 25c, 1½; 480-500, 25c, 1½; 500-520, 25c, 1½; 520-540, 25c, 1½; 540-560, 25c, 1½; 560-580, 25c, 1½; 580-600, 25c, 1½; 600-620, 25c, 1½; 620-640, 25c, 1½; 640-660, 25c, 1½; 660-680, 25c, 1½; 680-700, 25c, 1½; 700-720, 25c, 1½; 720-740, 25c, 1½; 740-760, 25c, 1½; 760-780, 25c, 1½; 780-800, 25c, 1½; 800-820, 25c, 1½; 820-840, 25c, 1½; 840-860, 25c, 1½; 860-880, 25c, 1½; 880-900, 25c, 1½; 900-920, 25c, 1½; 920-940, 25c, 1½; 940-960, 25c, 1½; 960-980, 25c, 1½; 980-1000, 25c, 1½; 1000-1020, 25c, 1½; 1020-1040, 25c, 1½; 1040-1060, 25c, 1½; 1060-1080, 25c, 1½; 1080-1100, 25c, 1½; 1100-1120, 25c, 1½; 1120-1140, 25c, 1½; 1140-1160, 25c, 1½; 1160-1180, 25c, 1½; 1180-1200, 25c, 1½; 1200-1220, 25c, 1½; 1220-1240, 25c, 1½; 1240-1260, 25c, 1½; 1260-1280, 25c, 1½; 1280-1300, 25c, 1½; 1300-1320, 25c, 1½; 1320-1340, 25c, 1½; 1340-1360, 25c, 1½; 1360-1380, 25c, 1½; 1380-1400, 25c, 1½; 1400-1420, 25c, 1½; 1420-1440, 25c, 1½; 1440-1460, 25c, 1½; 1460-1480, 25c, 1½; 1480-1500, 25c, 1½; 1500-1520, 25c, 1½; 1520-1540, 25c, 1½; 1540-1560, 25c, 1½; 1560-1580, 25c, 1½; 1580-1600, 25c, 1½; 1600-1620, 25c, 1½; 1620-1640, 25c, 1½; 1640-1660, 25c, 1½; 1660-1680, 25c, 1½; 1680-1700, 25c, 1½; 1700-1720, 25c, 1½; 1720-1740, 25c, 1½; 1740-1760, 25c, 1½; 1760-1780, 25c, 1½; 1780-1800, 25c, 1½; 1800-1820, 25c, 1½; 1820-1840, 25c, 1½; 1840-1860, 25c, 1½; 1860-1880, 25c, 1½; 1880-1900, 25c, 1½; 1900-1920, 25c, 1½; 1920-1940, 25c, 1½; 1940-1960, 25c, 1½; 1960-1980, 25c, 1½; 1980-2000, 25c, 1½; 2000-2020, 25c, 1½; 2020-2040, 25c, 1½; 2040-2060, 25c, 1½; 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ORANGES AND LEMONS.

DAILY CITRUS REPORTS OF EASTERN MARKETS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CLEVELAND, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Monday's market. (Received too late for Monday's report.) The market is strong on small sizes. Eleven cars sold, nine on track. Weather favorable.

NAVELS.

Pine Cone, S. R. Ft. Ex., Highland....$2.65
Carrier, S. B. Ft. Ex., Highland....2.15
Cosmos, S. R. Ft. Ex., Yerkes S....2.45
Golden Rule, cr, Riv. Ft. Ex., Riverside....2.50
Arrowhead, S. B. Ft. Ex., Highland....2.45
Lochinvar, R. H. Ft. Ex., E. High....2.40
Coral, S. B. Ft. Ex., Yerkes S....2.30
Pointer, A. C. G. Ft. Ex., Glendora....2.30

LEMONS.

Whittier, S. T. Ft. Ex., Whittier....$2.30
Pico, S. T. Ft. Ex., Whittier....2.20

BLOODS.

Golden Orange, A. H. Ft. Ex., Ar....2.30

HALVES.

Golden Orange, A. H. Ft. Ex....1.15

TANGERINES—HALVES.

Golden Orange....$1.35
Pine Cone, S. B. Ft. Ex., Highland....1.80

GRAPEFRUIT—SEEDLESS.

Crocus, S. B. Ft. Ex., Yerkes Spur....$2.00

BUDDED SEEDLINGS.

Golden Rule, cr, Riv. Ft. Ex., Riverside....2.00

NAVELS.

Lone Palm, xc, Motlowan & W....$2.45
Arch, ch, Hawarden Ct. Assn....1.95
Silence, xc, Flagler Ft. Co....1.90
Hawarden, fy, Hawarden Ct. Assn....2.15
Annan, ch, T. T. 2.10
Cry Baby, sd, Flagler Ft. Co....2.00

LEMONS.

Highlander, xf, High. Ft. G. Assn....$1.85
Lake, ? ? 1.40

Boston Market.

BOSTON, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Eleven cars sold. Weather favorable. Market is unchanged. Thirty cars on track.

NAVELS.

Lochinvar, R. H. Ft. Ex., High....$1.95
Floral, S. B. Ft. Ex., Colton....2.35
Eagle, Highgrove Ft. Ex., H....2.50
Alpha, xf, Riv. Ft. Co....2.40
Elephant, xc, Orange G. Cash....2.55
Valle Vista, cr, Growers' Ft. Co....2.40
Pike Cone, S. B. Ft. Ex., High....2.30
Sweetheart, Highgrove Ft. Ex., Hi....2.70
Golden Rule, Riv. Ft. Ex., Riv....2.60
Golden Flower, xf, Red. O. G. Assn....2.50
Vista Bonita, cr, L. A. Graham....2.45
Elk, xc, Riv. Ft. Co....2.35

GRAPEFRUIT.

So. Beauties, Q. C. Ft. Ex....$2.50

LEMONS.

So. Beauties, Q. C. Ft. Ex....$2.15

New York Market.

NEW YORK, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Morning sale, 29 cars navels, one bloods, two lemons. Demand active on best stock lemons. Lemons unchanged. P.M. sale, seven cars navels. Market steady.

NAVELS.

Mariposa, fy, Cal. Ct. Union....$2.15
Iris, D. M. Ft. Ex....2.65
Violet, D. M. Ft. Ex....2.65
Stag, A. C. G. Ft. Exchange....2.55
Pelnter, A. C. G. Ft. Exchange....2.45
Hunter, A. C. G. Ft. Exchange....2.45
Pointer, A. C. G. Ft. Exchange....2.00
Planet, A. H. Ft. Exchange....2.50
Alhambra, N. Bailey & Son....2.35
Don Quixote, N. Bailey & Son....2.35
Mt. Harrison, U. F. L. Sewell....2.35
Mt. Harrison, ch, F. L. Sewell....2.45
Mt. Harrison, fy, F. L. Sewell....2.40
Mt. Harrison, ch, F. L. Sewell....2.45
Old Mission, fy, C. C. Chapman....2.40
Old Mission, ch, C. C. Chapman....2.90
Golden Eagle, sd, C. C. Chapman....2.60
Whittier, fy, W. F. Whittier....2.25
Whittier, ch, W. F. Whittier....2.70
Golden Orchard, Independent Ft. Co....2.45
First American, ch, Randolph Ft. Co....2.15
Alta Cresta, fy, A. B. Ft. Exchange....2.25
Robusto, ti, A. H. Ft. Exchange....2.20
Royal Knight, A. H. Ft. Exchange....2.70
Dan Patch, S. B. Ft. Exchange....2.20
Pony, S. B. Ft. Exchange....2.25
Cosmos, S. B. Ft. Exchange....2.20
Lochinvar, R. H. Ft. Exchange....2.35
Orchard, ti, Orchard—Nat. Og. Co....2.30
Standard, sd, Nat. Og. Co....2.35
Orchard, cr, Nat. Og. Co....2.30
Standard, sd, Nat. Og. Co....2.70
La Verne, cr, M. L. Sparks....2.40
La Verne, sd, M. L. Sparks....2.25

LATE AFTERNOON SALES.

Sunshine $2.45
Emerson, cr, Penn Fruit Co....2.25
Conqueror, Independent Ft. Co....2.30
Citrus Belt, xc, Independent Ft. Co....2.50
Falls, cr, G. A. Smith....2.60
Chess Queen, xfy, Ely Gilmore Ft. Co....2.25
Chess Queen, fy, Ely Gilmore Ft. Co....2.25
Chess Queen, fy, Ely Gilmore Ft. Co....2.25

BLOODS—BOXES.

Dan Patch, S. B. Ft. Ex....$2.20
Squirrel, A. H. Ft. Ex....2.30
Dan Patch, halves, S. B. Ft. Ex....2.15
Squirrel, halves, A. H. Ft. Ex....2.20
Pony, S. B. Ft. Exchange....1.20
Alhambra, N. Bailey & Son....2.35
Pony, halves, S. B. Ft. Ex....1.05

TANGERINES.

Orchard, National Og. Co....$1.45

MIKES.

Searchlight, S. B. Ft. Ex....$1.70
Alhambra, N. Bailey & Son....2.20

LEMONS.

Palmtree, ch, A. H. Ft. Ex....$2.00
Choice (ind.)....2.00
Independent, fy....2.70
Independent, fy....2.20

Citrus Fruit Shipments.

Monday, March 30, 1908, 157 cars oranges, 18 cars lemons. Shipments to date, 14,960 cars, of which 1837 cars are lemons. To same date last season, 12,244 cars, of which 1295 cars were lemons.

Metal Market

SILVER.

NEW YORK, March 31.—Bar silver, 53⅝.

LEAD.

NEW YORK, March 31.—Lead 3.65 to 3.70.

COPPER.

NEW YORK, March 31.—Copper unchanged. Lake, 13.00 to 13.37½; electrolytic, 13.00 to 13.25; casting, 12.75 to 13.00.

Shield picnics, 9¾; Shield hams, 16-18 avg., 13½; Ashland hams, 8 avg., 14; Jefferson hams, 12½.

BARRELED MEATS—Rumps (bone in,) bbls. 16.00; half-bbls., 8.50; rumps (bone out), bbls. 12.00; half-bbls., 6.75; plate beef, bbls., 9.00; half-bbls., 5.00; rolled plate (boneless,) bbls. 12.00; half-bbls., 6.50; Sunderland pork, bbls. 14.25; half-bbls., 7.25; family pork, bbls. 25.00; half-bbls., 12.50; fancy pork (narrow), bbls., 28.00; half-bbls., 14.75; fancy pork (wide,) bbls., 30.00; half-bbls., 15.25; S. P. pigs' feet, bbls., 6.00; half-bbls., 3.25.

PURE LARD—Tierces, per lb. 13; cases, 7 lb.-lb. cans, 10¼; leaf lard, 11½; Rex pure lard, 10½; Premium lard, 12½; Silver Leaf lard, 11½; Jewel Compound, 9; Compound lard, 8½; Cotosuet, 9½; Mission lard, 9½; Cotosuet, 9¼; Mission lard, 9½; Cotosuet, 9¼; Mission lard, 9½; Diamond lard, 13¾; Armour's Carnation leaf lard, western, 7¾; Compound lard, eastern, 7¾; Diamond kettle lard, 11½; White Ribbon, 8¾@9¾; Silver Star lard, 13¾; Armour's Veribest lard, 12¾; Armour's Shield lard, 10¾; Armour's Banner lard, 9¾; Armour's Silver Leaf lard, 11½; Armour's Vegetole, 9.

SAUSAGE—Bologna, straight, 7½; bologna, paraffined, per lb., 8; blood sausage, 7½; Frankfurts, 7½; Diamond "C" sausage, links and bulk, 12; head cheese, 7½; fresh pork sausage, links and bulk, 9½; fresh pork sausage, bulk, 8½; pork sausage, patties, 9½; Vienna sausage, 9½; Frankfurt sausage, 8½; New England ham sausage, 11½; minced sausage, 9½; Veribest Bologna sausage, 8½; Veribest Frankfurts, 8½; Veribest Blood sausage, 8½;

THE WEATHER.

COMPARATIVE TEMPERATURES.*

	Max.	Min.	Mean.		Max.	Min.	Mean.
Boston	50	38	44	New York	48	44	46
Washington	52	42	47	Buffalo	44	36	40
Pittsburgh	50	42	46	Cincinnati	50	42	46
Chicago	48	34	41	St. Paul	34	30	32
Honolulu	78	68	73	Kansas City	52	36	44
Los Angeles	69	50	60	Jacksonville	82	62	72

*The maximum is for day before yesterday; the minimum for yesterday. The mean is the average temperature for the two days.

Yesterday's Forecast and Report.

LOCAL OFFICE, U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, March 31.—[Reported by A. B. Wollaber, Local Forecaster.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.05; at 5 p.m., 30.04. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 53 deg. and 60 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 82 per cent.; 5 p.m., 49 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 3 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity 14 miles. Maximum temperature, 67 deg.; minimum, 50 deg. Barometer reduced to sea level.

LOS ANGELES, March 31.—Rainfall data:

Stations—	Season[s] to date.	Normal.
Eureka	32.18	39.53
Red Bluff	19.29	21.40
Sacramento	11.54	16.98
San Francisco	16.35	19.47
Fresno	6.18	8.34
San Luis Obispo	17.71	19.15
Los Angeles	10.95	12.94
San Diego	7.99	9.93

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—No rain has fallen in California in the past twenty-four hours, except light showers at Eureka. The winds have been mostly from the north, and at sea have reached a velocity of forty miles an hour. The month was the driest March since 1901. Forecast:

San Francisco and vicinity: Fair Wednesday; fresh north winds.

Santa Clara Valley: Fair Wednesday; fresh north winds; possibly light frost in the morning.

Sacramento Valley: Fair Wednesday; fresh north winds.

San Joaquin Valley: Fair Wednesday; light west winds.

Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair Wednesday; cooler; fresh west winds.

Arizona: Fair Wednesday; colder Wednesday night in north portion; Thursday, fair.

YUMA (Ariz.) March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch from the U. S. Geological Survey.] Gauge height Colorado River, 20.30 feet; yesterday, 20.50 feet.

SHIPPING.

PORT LOS ANGELES, SAN PEDRO.

ARRIVED—TUESDAY, MARCH 31.

Schooner Carrier Dove, Capt. Grosseman, nine days from Gray's Harbor.

SAILED—TUESDAY, MARCH 31.

Steamship Santa Rosa, Capt. Alexander, for San Diego.

U.S.S. South Dakota, Capt. Fox, for cruise.

Steamer Yosemite, Capt. Nielsen, for Aberdeen, in ballast.

Schooner Resolute, Capt. Groner, for Hoquiam, in ballast.

Schooner Tahrus, Capt. Norby, for Everett, in ballast.

IN PORT—TUESDAY, MARCH 31.

Bark Alden Besse, dall Lake wharf.

Schooner Ariel, R. K. Wood wharf.

Schooner Esther Buhne, S. P. L. Co. wharf.

Schooner John A. Campbell, So. Cal. wharf.

Schooner Fearless, R. K. Wood wharf.

Schooner Fred J. Wood, R. K. Wood wharf.

Schooner Eva, S. P. wharf.

Schooner Robert Searles, S. P. wharf.

Schooner Carrier Dove, S. P. wharf.

TO LEAVE—WEDNESDAY, APRIL 1.

Steamship Santa Rosa, Capt. Alexander, for San Francisco and way ports.

ON WAY TO THIS PORT.

Steamship Roanoke, from Portland, via Eureka, and San Francisco.

Steamer Lakme, from Eureka, via San Francisco.

Steamer Meteor, from Hoquiam.

Barkentine Newsboy, from Hoquiam.

Schooner Henry Wilson, from Hoquiam.

Schooner Ludlow, from South Bend.

Schooner Stimson, from Ballard.

Schooner Salem, from Everett.

Schooner James H. Bruce, from Eureka.

Schooner Willis E. Hund, from Everett.

Schooner A. D. Bendixsen, from Everett.

Schooner Bertie Miner, from Marshfield.

Schooner A. F. Coats, from Tacoma.

Schooner Albert Meyer, from Astoria.

COMING FROM FOREIGN PORTS.

Norwegian steamer Eir, Capt. Marcussen, 2637 tons, nitrate ports, west coast South America.

German steamer Ilse, Capt. Jebsen, 932 tons, from Punta Arenas, C. R.

Greek steamer Leonides, Capt. Syrmas, at Mororan, loading.

The passenger steamer Cabrillo makes daily trips to Santa Catalina Island and return.

Movement of "Mosquito Fleet."

ARRIVED—TUESDAY, MARCH 31.

Launches Music and Eagle, for Long Beach, with passengers.

SAILED.

Launches Music and Eagle, for Long Beach, with passengers.

Eight sailboats for fishing banks, to return with fish for local wholesalers.

Tide Table of San Pedro.

		High.	Low.
Wednesday, April	1	9:24 a.m. 3:13 a.m.	3:13 a.m. 9:24 a.m.
Thursday,	2	9:56 p.m. 4:32 p.m.	4:32 p.m. 10:13 a.m.
Friday,	3	10:43 a.m. 5:36 a.m.	5:36 a.m. 10:53 a.m.
Saturday,	4	11:39 a.m. 5:41 p.m.	5:41 p.m. 11:18 p.m.
Sunday,	5	12:48 p.m. 4:37 p.m.	4:37 p.m. 12:12 p.m.
Monday,	6	1:54 p.m. 3:05 a.m.	3:05 a.m. 7:02 a.m.
Tuesday,	7	2:56 a.m. 8:45 p.m.	8:45 p.m. 7:24 a.m.
Wednesday,	8	4:48 p.m. 6:47 p.m.	6:47 p.m. 1:43 a.m.
Thursday,	9	3:20 a.m. 11:14 a.m.	11:14 a.m. 7:36 p.m.
Friday,	10	4:24 a.m. 11:59 a.m.	11:59 a.m. 7:32 p.m.

Port Items.

WEATHER: Clear at 5 p.m.; wind southwest, velocity 13 miles.

The Pacific Coast Company's steamship Santa Rosa, Capt. Alexander, arrived from San Francisco, and after discharging cargo and passengers, cleared for San Diego. She will call bound north tomorrow morning.

The schooner Robert Searles has begun the discharge of a large cargo of piling for the Mercereau Construction Company at the Southern Pacific wharf.

The schooner Zampa, Capt. Nielsen, and the schooner Taurus, Capt. Norby, completed the discharge of lumber cargoes and sailed today in ballasts to reload, the former for Aberdeen and the latter for Everett.

The Norwegian steamer Aker, Capt. Gullikssen, which recently completed the discharge of a lumber cargo of oak ties here, has arrived at Asteria.

The U. S. armored cruiser South Dakota, Capt. Fox, cleared today for a week's cruise in this vicinity. She will return to this port about April 3.

REDONDO.

ARRIVED—TUESDAY, MARCH 31.

No arrivals today.

SAILED—TUESDAY, MARCH 31.

No departures today.

IN PORT—TUESDAY, MARCH 31.

Tug Redondo at pier No. 1.

Schooner Robert R. Hinds, at pier No. 1.

Schooner W. F. Jewett, at pier No. 2.

Schooner Queen, at pier No. 3.

Schooner Allen McDonald, at anchorage.

Barkentine J. M. Griffith, at anchorage.

TO ARRIVE.

WEDNESDAY, April 1—Steamer Santa Rosa, from San Diego and way ports.

Steamer George Loomis, from Point Richmond.

FRIDAY, April 3—Steamer Queen, from San Francisco and way ports.

SUNDAY, April 5—Steamer Santa Rosa, from San Francisco and way ports.

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MONDAY, April 6—Steamer State of California, from San Francisco and way ports.

TO SAIL.

WEDNESDAY, April 1—Steamer Santa Rosa, for San Francisco and way ports.

FRIDAY, April 3—Steamer Queen, for San Diego and way ports.

SUNDAY, April 5—Steamer Queen, for San Diego and way ports.

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SAILING FOR REDONDO.

Greek steamer Leonides, from Mororan, Japan.

Schooner Allen A., from Gray's Harbor.

Steamer Santa Rosa, from San Diego.

Steamer Queen, from San Francisco.

Schooner F. S. Redfield, from Olympia.

Schooner King Cyrus, from Columbia River.

Schooner Expansion, from Gray's Harbor.

Schooner Irene, from Columbia River.

Schooner Luzon, from Willapa.

Steamer George Loomis, from Point Richmond.

Notes.

The steamer George Loomis is due here tomorrow morning with a cargo of fuel oil from Point Richmond, consigned to the Standard Oil Company.

The steamer State of California, sailing today from Seattle, will upon her arrival at San Francisco take the run south for the Santa Rosa, leaving the Golden Gate on Saturday and arriving here next Monday. The State will make three southern trips for the Santa Rosa while the latter is in dry dock undergoing a cleaning and overhauling.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31. — Arrived: Steamer Coos Bay, from San Pedro.

SHARES AND MONEY.

STOCKS DROP WITH A CRASH.

TENDENCY TOWARD REACTION IN WALL STREET.

Explanation Is Made That Rise in Prices Had Been Pushed to Point Where Pressure to Realize Profits Was Beyond Capacity of Supporters of Prices to Absorb.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, March 31.—The wheat market was quite steady during the first hour of the day on a moderate demand by pit traders, which was based on a light movement in the Northwest, but in the last half of the session prices declined ½@¾c from the high point. Reports of more rain in Kansas and other points of the winter wheat belt were chiefly responsible for the weakness. The demand came mainly from shorts. May opened unchanged to ¼c lower, a shade@93¼, sold at 93¼ and then declined to 92. The close was at 92¾.

Sentiment in the corn pit was bearish all day. An increase of local receipts and a poor demand for cash corn and the slump in wheat were depressing influences. The market closed weak at almost the lowest point. May corn opened unchanged to ¼c lower, at 63¾ to 64, sold off to 63¾, and closed at 64¼.

Oats were dull and weak. May opened unchanged, at 53¾, sold off to 53¼, and closed at 53¼.

Provisions were excited at the opening, with trade general in character. Later in the day the market weakened on profit-taking and closed at almost the lowest point. Quotations on May pork were off 7½@10c; lard was down 10 and ribs were 5@7½ lower.

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour was easy; No. 2 spring wheat, 1.04@1.06; No. 3 spring, @1.05; No. 2 red, 92@93¾; No. 2 corn, 64¾@65¼; No. 2 yellow, 65@65¼; No. 2 oats, 52¾@53¼; No. 3 white, 50@53½; No. 2 rye, 83; fair to choice malting barley, 77@82; No. 1 northwestern flaxseed, 1.17¾; prime timothy seed, 4.65; clover, contract grades, 14.00; short ribs, sides (loose,) 8.75@7.25; mess pork, per bbl., 13.00@13.62½; lard, per 100 lbs., 8.35; short clear sides (boxed,) 7.25@7.50; whisky, basis of high wines, 1.25.

Grain Movements.

Articles—	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	20,000	26,500
Wheat, bushels	33,000	11,100
Corn, "	314,400	240,900
Oats, "	261,500	228,800
Rye, "	2,000	3,500
Barley, "	11,000	44,400

Dairy Markets.

CHICAGO, March 31.—On the Produce Exchange today the butter market was firm; creamery, 27@28; dairy, 26@26; eggs, firm at mark, cases included, 14; firsts, 16½; prime firsts, 15½; extras, 16½; cheese, steady, 13½@14.

Grain and Provisions.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO FRED DORR.]

CHICAGO, March 31.—Following is the range of prices today:

Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	92¾	93¾	92	92¾
July	88¾	89¼	87¾	87¾
September	86	86¼	85¼	85¾
Corn—				
May	66¾	66¾	65¾	66⅛
July	64½	64½	63¾	64
September	63¾	63¾	62¾	63¼
Oats—				
May	53¾	53¾	53¼	53¼
July	47¾	47¾	46¾	46¾
September	35¾	35¾	35¼	35¼
Pork—				
May	14.22	14.40	14.00	14.05
July	14.42	14.75	14.30	14.35
Lard—				
May	8.02	8.05	7.90	8.00
July	8.07	8.10	8.70	8.70
Ribs—				
May	7.47	7.52	7.30	7.30
July	7.77	7.80	7.62	7.62

Boston Copper Market.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO FRED DORR.]

BOSTON, March 31.—The market opened with stocks offered freely, and some weak spots were found. Quincy was one of the weakest of the better class, losing about three points. Heavy selling of Boarding consolidated was a feature, also the stock touching 11¾ on the uncovering of a few stop orders. North Butte, Utah, and the Smeltings, while dull, were very susceptible to small selling orders and fell off easily. The market closed weak, with prices declining steadily at the end.

The management of Nipissing has sent notice to its stockholders announcing that the company's annual meeting will be held April 20, and requests that proxies be sent to William H. Orr and C. H. Boynton.

There seemed to be supporting orders in Smelters on the way down. There is much criticism of the Guggenheims' attitude with regard to the sale of Yukon stock.

February imports of copper total 3600 tons, against 3800 tons in February, 1907.

The closing quotations were as follows:

	Bid.	Asked.
Arcadian	3¾	4
Allouez	24½	25¼
Atlantic	8	8½
Arizona Commercial	13	13½
Bingham Con.	1	1¼
Boston Con.	11¾	12
Butte Coalition	71¼	71¾
Calumet & Arizona	99¾	100
Calumet & Hecla	630	640
Centennial	22½	23
Con. Mercur	2	2¼
Copper Range	64¾	65
Daly West	9	10
Elm River	1	1¼
Franklin	7	7¼
Granby	90	95
Greene-Cananea	6¾	6¾
Helvetia	3¾	4
Isle Royale	13¾	13¾
Lasalle	14½	15
Massachusetts	2¾	2¾
Mexican Con.	8	8¼
Michigan	11	11¼
Mohawk	49½	50
Nevada Con.	11¾	11¾
North Butte	53¾	53¾
Old Dominion	25	25¼
Osceola	82	82
Parrot	15¾	15¾
Quincy	98	98
Rhode Island	3¾	3¾
Shannon	11¾	12
Santa Fe	1	1¼
Tamarack	61	64
Trinity	14	14½
United Copper	54	54¾
Utah Con.	38½	39
Victoria	3	3¼
Winona	1	1¼
Wyandotte	65	75
Wolverine	125	130
Utah	32¼	32½

The close on the curb stocks was as follows:

	Bid.	Asked.
Ahmeek	50	55
Butte & London	80	90
Butte Extension	1⅞	2⅛
Cumberland Ely	8¾	8½
East Butte	5	6
Foster Cobalt	¾	⅞
Furnace Creek	17	22
Giroux	3¾	4
Majestic	1¼	1½
McKinley	⅝	¾
Nipissing	6¾	7
K. C.	5	5½
Superior & Pittsburgh	12⅝	12¾
Black Mountain	3¾	4
First National	4¾	4½

New York Cotton Market.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO FRED DORR.]

NEW YORK, March 31.—Liverpool was steady this morning, and our cables report a better demand from Manchester as a steadying factor in the market. Our market opened at last night's figures and advanced slowly on rumors of operations from Wall street on the long side of the cotton. The short interest is considerable, but shows no anxiety toward covering as yet. Reports from dry goods markets are of a slow improvement, with little better business this week than for some time, but with doubts expressed as to whether this is or is not the final start toward better demand. The weather map was again favorable, which held back the later deliveries.

Following is the range of prices today:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
March	9.67	9.70	9.60	9.66
May	9.67	9.74	9.60	9.67
July	9.62	9.74	9.60	9.67
August	9.57	9.63	9.47	9.60
October	9.48	9.56	9.47	9.52

New York Metal Market.

NEW YORK, March 31.—London tin market lower; spot quoted at £144 5s, and futures at £143. The local market was easy with quotations ranging from 31.75 to 32.00. Copper was lower in the London market with spot quoted at £59 17s. 6d. and futures at £60 7s. 6d. Locally the market was dull and a shade lower with lake quoted 13.00@13.37½; electrolytic, 12.62½@12.87½, and casting at 12.75@12.00. Lead was unchanged at £14 5s. in London and at 3.90@4.00 in the local market. Spelter was unchanged at £21 7s. 6d. in London. Locally the market was dull at 4.60@4.70. The English iron market was 1s. lower with standard foundry quoted at 55s. 6d. and Cleveland warrants at 51s. 7½d. Locally the iron market was unchanged. No. 1 foundry northern, 17.25@18.75; No. 2 northern, 17.75@18.25; No. 1 southern and No. 1 southern soft, 17.75@18.50.

Boston Wool Market.

BOSTON, March 31.—The condition of the local wool market is more encouraging. Sales have increased and shipments are heavier, although prices have as yet failed to respond to the better feeling. Still holders believe that the bottom prices have been reached and that the increased demand for wool will soon show its effect. Quotations: California northern, 60@61; middle counties, 55@57; southern, 52@56; fall free, 45@46; fall defective, 36@55; Oregon eastern, No 1, staple, 65@67; eastern, No. 1, clothing, 58@60; valley, No. 1, 59@61. Territory, scoured basis, fine staple, 63@66; fine medium staple, 60@65; fine medium clothing, 53@55; fine clothing, 55@60; half-blood, 53@58; three-eighths blood, 52@55; quarter blood, 45@48; pulled extra, 62@65; fine A, 53@55; A super, 44@48.

California Dried Fruit.

NEW YORK, March 31.—The market for evaporated apples is not active, but there is enough demand to impart a firm tone to the market in the absence of important offerings. Fancy, 10½@11; choice, 8½@9¾; prime, 7¾@8¼; common to fair, 5¼@6¾. There is a moderate jobbing demand for prunes with quotations ranging from 4¼ to 14 for California and from 6 to 10 for Oregon fruit. Apricots are rather easy in tone with choice quoted at 18@20; extra choice, 19@21, and fancy at 22@24. Peaches are unchanged with choice quoted at 10@10½ and extra choice at 11@11½; fancy, 11¼@12; extra fancy, 13@14. Raisins are neglected with loose Muscatels quoted at 2@2½; seeded raisins, 5½@8¾, and London layers at 1.40@1.75.

Chicago Live Stock Market.

CHICAGO, March 31.—Cattle—Receipts about 3500; market steady; beeves, 7.00@7.50; cows and heifers, 2.60@6.15; Texans, 4.50@5.50; calves, 4.50@6.50; western, 4.50@5.60; stockers and feeders, 3.75@5.20. Hogs—Receipts about 14,000; market 10@15 higher; light, 5.90@6.20; mixed, 5.90@6.35; heavy, 5.80@6.35; rough, 5.80@5.95; pigs, 4.90@5.70; bulk, 6.10@6.15. Sheep—Receipts about 15,000; market steady; natives, 4.75@7.00; western, 5.00@7.00; yearlings, 6.25@7.70; lambs, 6.00@8.25; western lambs, 6.50@8.25.

Liverpool Cotton Market.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO FRED DORR.]

LIVERPOOL, March 31.—The cotton market was due to open from ½ to 1 point lower on near months, and about ⅛c lower on October. The market opened steady and 1 point lower. The close was firm, and unchanged to 1 point higher on near, and 1 to ¼ lower on late months. Spots were quiet, and 1 up, with middlings at 5.70. Port receipts were estimated at 22,000 bales, the same as last week, and compared with 23,000 bales a year ago.

Chicago Closing Prices.

CHICAGO, March 31.—Close: Wheat, May, 92¾; July, 87¾@88; September, 85¾@85¾; Corn, May, 64¼; July, 64; September, 63¾; Oats, May, old, 53¼; May, 51¾@53¾; July, old, 46¼@46¾; July, 44¾; September, 34¼@34¾. Rye, cash, 74@75. Barley, cash, 70@84. Timothy, March, 4.65. Clover, March, 24.00.

New York Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, March 31.—Coffee futures closed steady, not unchanged. Sales, 37,000 bags, including April, 5.65; May, 5.70@5.75; June, 5.70; September, 5.75; October, 5.80; November, 5.80; December, 5.85; spot, quiet; No. 7, Rio, 6½; No. 4, Santos, 8¼@8¾; mild, dull; Cordova, 9¾@12.

London Copper Market.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO FRED DORR.]

LONDON, March 31.—The copper market opened easy with spots quoted at £59 17s 6d, and futures at 7s 6¼d, both showing a decline of 7s 6d. Copper closed unchanged on sales of 100 tons of spots, and 800 tons of futures.

New York Sugar Market.

NEW YORK, March 31.—Sugar—Raw, firm; fair refining, 3.98; centrifugal, 96 test, 4.36; molasses sugar, 3.61; refined, steady; crushed, 5.10; powdered, 4.90; granulated, 4.80.

New York General Market.

NEW YORK, March 31.—Wheat—Spot, easy; options closed ¼@⅝ net lower. May closed 1.01; July, 95¾. Hops quiet. Hides steady. Wool steady. Petroleum steady.

Minneapolis Wheat Market.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO FRED DORR.]

MINNEAPOLIS, March 31.—Following was the range of prices on May wheat. Opened, 1.03½; high, 1.05¾; low, 1.03¼; closed, 1.05¼.

Portland Wheat Market.

PORTLAND, March 31.—Wheat: Club, 82; blue stem, 84@85; valley, 12@82; red, 80@81.

TACOMA, March 31.—Wheat: Unchanged. Blue stem, 84; club, 82; red, 80.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, March 31.—Butter firm; creameries, specials, 28@29½; extras, 28½. Cheese firm, unchanged. Eggs firm; western firsts, 15½@16.

St. Louis Wool Market.

ST. LOUIS, March 31.—Wool dull. Medium grades combing and clothing, 18½@23; light fine, 17@18; heavy fine, 12@17; tub washed, 28@30.

Cotton Futures.

NEW YORK, March 31.—Cotton futures closed steady, at a net advance of 5 to 9 points.

Liverpool Wheat Market.

LIVERPOOL, March 31.—Close: Wheat—March, nominal; May, 6s 11d; July, 7s ½d.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

FRUIT, GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—Fruits—Fancy apples, 1.75; common, 60.

Oranges—Navels, 1.25@2.25.

Mexican Limes—6.50@7.00.

Lemons—Common California, 1.00@1.50; good to choice, 1.75@2.25; fancy, 2.50@2.75.

Tropical Fruits—Bananas, 75@2.50; pineapples, 1.00@3.50.

Beans—Pink, 2.00@2.10; lima, 4.40@4.45; small whites, 2.40@2.60; large whites, 2.50@2.60.

Potatoes—Early Rose, 1.25@1.50; Oregon Burbanks, 70@1.05; Merced sweets, 2.00@2.50; new potatoes, 3@4.

Onions—Fancy, 2.00@2.25.

Various—Green peas, 3@5; eggplant, 15@15; tomatoes, 1.25@2.00; summer squash, nominal; asparagus, 40@75; rhubarb, 1.00@1.50; garlic, 12@20.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 23; seconds, 23; fancy dairy, 17½.

Cheese—New, 11; Young America, 12@14.

Eggs—Ranch, 18; store, 16½.

Poultry—Old roosters, 4.00@4.50; young roosters, 4.00@5.00; small broilers, 4.00@6.00; large broilers, 5.00@6.50; fryers, 7.00@8.00; hens, 5.00@6.50; old ducks, 4.00@5.00; young ducks, 5.00@6.00; geese, 1.00@2.50; goslings, 2.00@3.50; old pigeons, 1.00@1.25; young pigeons, 2.50@3.00.

Flour—Family extras, 4.00@4.25; bakers' extras, 3.40@3.65; Oregon and Washington, 4.75@5.25.

Wheat—Shipping, 1.60@1.62½; milling, 1.62½@1.67½.

Barley—Feed, 1.37½@1.40; brewing, 1.40@1.52½; Chevalier, nominal.

Oats—Red, 1.42½@1.55; white, 1.52½@1.65; grays, 1.55@1.62½.

Millstuffs—Middlings, 32.00@36.00; rolled barley, 29.00@30.00; oatmeal, 4.10; oat groats, 4.30; rolled oats, 21.00@23.00.

Hay—Wheat, 12.00@16.50; wheat and oat, 11.00@16.00; wild oat, 9.00@11.00; tame oat, 10.00@12.00; alfalfa, 9.00@14.00; straw, 50@85.

Receipts—Flour, 4210; wheat, 360; barley, 5825; oats, 250; corn, 760; potatoes, 2640; onions, 200; bran, 235; middlings, 460; hay, 240; hides, 2535; wine, 17,000.

Calboard Sales.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—Wheat steady; May, 1.37 bid; cash, 1.40@1.52½. Barley firm; May, 1.31; December, 1.16@1.16¼; cash, 1.37½@1.40. Corn steady; large yellow, 1.67½@1.67½. Afternoon session. Wheat steady; no trading. Barley firm; May, 1.32½; decrease, 1.16@1.16¼.

Drafts and Silver.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—Silver bars, 55¾. Mexican dollars, 52. Drafts, sight, 12½. Drafts, telegraph, 15.

FLEET PANORAMA.

Morley's Rink Occupied by Scenic Exhibit of Battleship and Cruiser Squadrons.

In the interior of the Grand-avenue auditorium, formerly Morley's skating rink, there has been constructed a scenic panorama of the entire battleship fleet, in detail. The display covers a linear measurement of 470 feet around the walls on three sides of the building.

The scene is San Francisco Bay, with the fleet just about to start on its voyage to the Orient. The first object in view is a newspaper building of San Francisco, under a brilliant night illumination. This model is fifteen feet high. The beholder then passes along a wharf scene, viewing the harbor, with its lighthouse in the distance. The battleships, cruisers, torpedo boats and auxiliary craft follow in order, with proper interludes of sky and sea.

The exhibition, which will open tonight, is under the management of F. H. Solomon.

THREE INQUESTS.

Two Verdicts of Suicide and One of Accidental Death in Coroner's Cases.

Three inquests were held yesterday by Coroner Hartwell and in each case a death certificate was signed. In the case of E. Pond, who committed suicide at the Lankershim Hotel several days ago, a verdict of death from suicide was returned. The body has not yet been identified and the undertakers will hold it several days longer in the hope that the man's relatives may put in an appearance.

A verdict of suicide was the result of the investigation of the death of a Mexican, supposed to be Jack Pongo, who drank carbolic acid in Elysian Park Sunday night.

In the case of Mrs. Phoebe Ann Green, who fell from a car at Seventh and Alvarado streets and died from her injuries, a verdict of accidental death was returned. It was shown at the inquest that Mrs. Green stepped from the car while it was in motion and sustained the injuries which caused her death.

TILTON'S CHANGES.

Today the summer schedule of the 100-mile Tilton trolley trips goes into force. Starting from the Pacific Electric Railway station at Sixth and Main streets at 9:30 o'clock a.m., the cars will proceed direct to San Gabriel, thence through the orange groves to Pasadena via Oak Knoll and back to the Indian village and Los Angeles Ostrich Farm. Then the route will be through the city and over the four-track system of the Pacific Electric to Alamitos Bay. After dinner the trip will be continued to Long Beach, where a long stop will be made so that tourists may enjoy the attractions of the Atlantic City of the Pacific Coast. Los Angeles will be reached on the return journey at 5:30 o'clock p.m.

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Rawhide

REPORT ON RAWHIDE CATNIP MINING CO.

Report on Catnip and Onida No. 2 Lode Claims

1. POSITION:

The Catnip and Onida claims lie about twelve hundred (1200) feet northwest of the Royal Tiger group, and about the same distance southwest of the Regent Syndicate, in the western portion of the Regentor Rawhide Mining District, Esmeralda County, Nevada. They are easily reached by wagon or auto and directly adjoin the Black Eagle group on the East, being about a mile and a half due west of the town of Rawhide or very close to the center of the mineralized area of the district.

2. AREA:

These two claims comprise forty acres, as they are prior to any adjoining claims. They do not directly adjoin each other, but are so near that they practically form a group with any further purchase. They were among the first to be surveyed in the district.

3. WORK:

No actual development work has ever been attempted, the only work done upon the ground being the original location work, and one hundred dollars' worth of open cuts on each claim done as the assessment work for 1907. While this assessment work was done in a very desultory way, it has disclosed the presence of several veins that would otherwise be overlooked without the removal of the soil or "wash" which covers the greater area of these claims. Had it been done under the direction of a competent prospector it might have led to the discovery of important ore bodies.

4. GEOLOGY:

The geology of this group is practically the same as that of the well-known Tiger-Royal group, of which it is the direct extension. The principal difference is the lack of erosion, which so strongly characterizes the Tiger Royal, on this group. The country rock is a fine grained rhyolite. It is extensively intruded by the same dacite dyke that traverses the Royal Tiger, and, in fact, this dyke outcrops so boldly that the writer has walked from the Onida to the Tiger on the south and the Regent mine on the north, keeping entirely upon the blue outcrops of the dyke. Besides the dacite there is a small intrusion of a dark green rock, probably a basic andesite.

5. VEINS AND VALUES:

The open cuts on the Catnip show a vein parallel to the dacite dyke, and about fifty feet west of it. This vein exactly corresponds with the Royal Tiger vein, and is similar in composition, being filled with talc, quartz and decomposed porphyry, forming a soft mass, which is highly colored with iron oxides. The vein itself is about five feet wide and shows well defined walls. Its strike is east of north and it dips to the west at about forty-five degrees.

VALUES:

The only values obtained so far have been quite low, from one to ten dollars per ton. It must be remembered that in other parts of the district, high values have been found only after the most diligent search on the surface, and in most cases it has taken a great deal of work to disclose them at all. As there has been no prospecting done and practically no work, the writer was well impressed with those obtained.

CONCLUSION:

The geology of these mining claims is such that many mining engineers beside the writer have predicted that ore would be found at depth. It is beyond question that the Tiger Royal vein crosses the group for a distance of at least two thousand feet, and it is reasonable to suppose that a rich shoot of ore will be found upon this ground, although the lack of erosion has not exposed it, as has been the case on the Tiger Royal and Regent mines.

(Signed) J. CARLTON BRAY, E. M.

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Sale Dunham Hosiery, Pair 25c

As choice a lot of hosiery as you would find anywhere at 2, 3 or 4 times this price. Of the finest gauze lisle, allover lace, lace ankles and plain gauze. Also daintily embroidered patterns; double soles, toes and heels. White, Hermsdorf black and the new spring colors. Included are a lot of plain lisle and split foot Maco hosiery in regular outsizes. Come early, for this is an opportunity when you can buy 2, 3 or 4 pairs of hosiery for the ordinary cost of one.

25c Sale Sample Underwear

2,000 women's and children's garments from the Dunham stock. The women's are exceptionally fine swiss ribbed lisle, low neck, sleeveless; lace trimmed or finished with hand crochet edge. Pants to match, trimmed with lace or tight knee; also union suits, high neck and long sleeves, full length; popular styles. Children's union suits of fine Swiss ribbed lisle, high neck, long sleeves, ankle length. Also boys' balbriggan vests and pants. Many of these garments are worth 2 and 3 times the price named for Wednesday.

Dunham Stock Men's Furnishings

Six Special Values From This Maker of High Class Goods

Dunham's $4 and $5 Bath Robes for Men, Special $1.98

Suitable for either bath or lounging robes. Fancy striped and floral patterns in all colors. All popular materials. Full floor length. Sies 34 to 50.

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Extra quality, broad and roomy. Floor length, finished with fancy braid. Collarless or with turn-down collars. Sizes 14 to 20.

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Best materials in plain colors, stripes and checks. Light or dark shades. Attached turn-down collars; exceptionally well made. Sizes 14 to 18.

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Half Price Near to Half and Less than Half

Tuesday's express brought us 200 handsome garments, special purchase of the New York office. Latest spring models of plain and fancy materials, including skirts of Panama and fine quality serge. Good color assortment. None worth less than $7.50, while the majority of them are $10 and $12.50.

The materials in many of these garments would cost you more than $5. They are great values. The best $7.50, $10 and $12.50 skirts we've seen. Come early. There's a first choice always.

$5 $5

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For Choice 5000 Sheets Regular 23c Music

No Limit—Buy All You Want. The Assortment Includes

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"My Particular Friend," "Susie Woosie," "When Sousa Comes to Coontown," "Coon With the Panama," "Art of Picking Fowl," "Heart Bowed Down," "Sweet Kitty Malone," "Just a Girl From Home," "Girl You Love," (from Dolly Varden), "Cleopatra," "Scenes That Are Brightest," "Kaya-Kaya," "Don't You Remember," "Nora Darling," "Molly Prancer," "Toreador Song" (from Carmen), "Jennie Lee," "Come, Take a Stroll With Me."

8c Sale Toilet Soaps

Regular Values from 10c to 20c

5,000 cakes of the finest, most popular toilet soaps including the following: "Pear's" Unscented, "Kirk's" Juvenile, "Peet's" Glycerine, "Lily Webb's" Medicated, Pure Castile (imported), Wild Rose, "Colgate's" Glycerine, "Munyon's" Witch Hazel, Palm Olive, Coronado Oatmeal, Jap Rose, "Colgate's" Oatmeal, "Colgate's" Cold Cream; also fine French soaps, including Heliotrope, Violet, Lilac odors. Large cakes daintily perfumed; extraordinary value offerings for one day. No 'phone orders.

12½c Wash Goods 6¼c

ON SALE 8 TO 10 WEDNESDAY

Half price for two hours for choice of a big lot of extra good cotton wash goods. Mill lengths, but every piece perfect. Plain and colored voiles, plain and colored open work dimities, Scotch flannels, German elderdown flannel, and others; not one piece in the entire lot but that is worth regularly, if in full bolts, 12½c a yard; specially priced for two hours only Wednesday, 8 to 10, no mail or 'phone orders, at 6¼c. Watch the windows.

The Forbidden Road.

By Maria Abnesi.

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CHAPTER XI—(Continued.)

She closed her arms round her little charge. Baby rested her flushed cheek against the girl's pale one, and her tiny arms were tightly pressed round Katherine's neck.

As Haverford opened the door for her, Katherine gave him a bright little nod as she passed out.

"I think I shall say 'good-night,'" she said, "for I shall not come down again this evening. Baby wants to say 'good-night' too, darling, don't you?"

Rupert Haverford stooped, and the child turned and kissed him fondly. Little head was very close to Katherine; she noticed how crisply his brown hair curled just at the sides, and what fine brows he had. Baby refused to let him go—refused to be taken from the governess's arms, and so, as the girl walked slowly up the stairs, Rupert Haverford followed close behind. He had hold of the child's small fingers over Katherine's shoulder; every now and then she felt the warm touch of this hand and wrist rest on her shoulder.

When the long corridor was reached, with babyish inconsequence, Katherine's small burden elected to go to his strong arms, and he carried her right into the nursery.

"Can you manage quite alone?" he asked, as this haven was reached, so cozy and quiet and warm. "Won't you have a maid or some one to help you?"

But Miss Graniger shook her head, and so, with a parting kiss to the child, he turned away.

"If you see Camilla, will you say that I entreat her not to come down unless she is much better? I understand she sat up nearly all night with Lady Pamela, and she is not strong enough to do these sort of things. She wants nursing herself."

Katherine frowned sharply, and made no reply; indeed, she was so silent during the preparations for the bath that baby made loud complaint; she wanted her story and her usual lullaby songs. It was long before the girl's composure returned to her.

As she sat rocking the sleepy child in front of the fire, she took herself to task a second time that day.

"This should be nothing to me; it can be nothing," she said. But she knew they were empty words, even as she whispered them to herself. Where these two people were concerned, she had passed far beyond the range of indifference.

CHAPTER XII.

With the new year the damp, wet weather set in again, and it was generally conceded that it was much better that the children should be kept in the country.

"That is such a little poky house in town, Agnes Brenton declared.

Nevertheless, Camilla clung to the poky little house, although Haverford urged her all the time to fix a definite date for their marriage.

"Why should we wait?" he asked, very reasonably; "we have really no one to consult or consider. I am just longing for you to come into my great empty house and turn it into a home."

Camilla chose to treat the matter flippantly.

"Oh, is that all you want me for? Well, my dear Rupert, if you want a nice, comfortable, domesticated, housekeepery sort of a woman, I know the very person for you. I am ornamental, you know—exceedingly ornamental, but I am not the least bit of good to look after the linen, or to mend your socks, and I couldn't boil an egg to save my life."

Another time he said to her:

"I want to get you away from this house. I want to take you out of all that belonged to old times and sorrows. Have you forgotten that we are to go to Italy? To all the places where you were so happy with your father? Let us be married and start at once."

But Camilla always pleaded for time.

"I tell you why," she said to him once. "I want you—us—to get thoroughly well used to one another. Of course, you have known me a long time—it is nearly two years since we met—but there are such heaps of things we ought to realize before we make our great start together. I have made a little promise to myself," Camilla said weightily, "that I will not marry you till I have taught myself to be a little worthy of you."

"I wish you would not talk such rubbish," the man answered, with a very natural touch of bad temper.

"Now, you see," said Camilla, and she laughed—"you see I have done something to annoy you, and I am sure I don't know what it is. I shall be perpetually making these mistakes if we marry in haste." Then she changed her tone. "Surely, dear Rupert, we should be much wiser to wait another month or two. I—I am not really well enough to go abroad just yet. After Easter it will be delightful. We will do Paris first, and then go on to the south of Italy. Naples is enchanting in May." She gave a quick sigh. "And then I am making up my mind to be separated from the children," she said, "and, as Sammy Broxbourne would put it, 'it takes a little doing!' Oh, by the way, did I tell you that I had quite a charming letter from Sir Samuel congratulating me. He has had an accident at Monte Carlo, and has injured his leg. Poor Sammy! He tells me he will not be able to walk for another month or so, and cannot get back to England just yet."

"The longer he stays away the better for England," said Haverford; "he is a very objectionable man."

"Oh, I see," answered Camilla, almost impatiently. "Agnes has been prejudicing you."

But Haverford made no reply to this, and the subject was dropped.

This was but a specimen of the conversation which passed between them whenever they met. But, as a matter of fact, they saw very little of one another.

Camilla got into the habit of running away from town to stay with one friend or another; the greater part of her time, however, was spent at Yelverton.

When she said she was not well in these days she stated the actual truth.

Mrs. Brenton was a little anxious about her, and tried to coddle her, and make her take care of herself—a difficult operation. It was strange to see Camilla listless and bored. She could not be roused to take an interest in anything except what concerned the children.

"I know I am deadly dull," she said on one occasion, "but you must put it all down to money. I don't owe a penny in the world, and you can't think how lonely I feel! I am simply rusticating for the want of excitement. When I am in town, and the doorbell rings at breakfast-time, I am perfectly unmoved; the postman's knock doesn't give me a single thrill. I can walk into Veronique's without trouble to invent a harrowing story about delayed remittances or unfortunate speculations. I can buy what I like and pay for it . . . consequently I don't want to buy anything. And I was becoming such an excellent diplomatist. That is the polite word, is it not, for one who fights by subtlety and fabricates untruths? Also I am growing mean, Agnes. Do you know, now that I have got a fat banking account, and all the world is bowing down to me, I hesitate before I give away a shilling. I even went in an omnibus the other day."

She laughed as she said this; she would have loved to have explained to Mrs. Brenton that she had sought refuge in this useful conveyance to escape from meeting Haverford, whom she had caught sight of in the distance. But she curbed the desire.

"Poor Agnes, she shivers and turns cold when she hears me say those sort of things. She is so afraid I am going to lose everything just as I have got it, and oh dear me, I wish I could lose him! If I had not been in such a hurry, perhaps I should have been able to patch things up, and have struggled on a bit longer; but now I am bound hand and foot. His unparalleled generosity"—there was a sneer in her thoughts—"prevents all chance of escape. If a woman lets a man settle any amount of money on her and her children, she cannot very easily back out and tell him that she is going to keep the money and say 'Good-by' to him."

On this same occasion Mrs. Brenton spoke for the first time on the subject of the Lancing people.

"You have never told me what they said about your engagement."

Camilla yawned a little.

"The old man cursed me, I suppose, but he had the decency to keep the curses off paper. Violet wrote, of course." She laughed languidly. "Violet is always ready to hold a candle to the devil, and Horace sent me a few kind words. Horace is not really a bad sort."

Camilla was silent a moment, and then she said:

"You know Rupert wanted to go down and interview Col. Lancing, but I stopped that and made him write instead. I am not sure that it would not have been a good thing for him if he had gone; he would have heard some nice home-truths about me, wouldn't he? It would have been a kind of preparation for what is to come."

Agnes Brenton had taught herself already not to encourage this kind of conversation. Like Rupert Haverford, she was very anxious indeed for the marriage to take place, but she did not urge it openly as he did. Where she attacked the subject was on the practical side.

"Why not marry very quietly, and go abroad for two months? You really want rest and a thorough change; it would do you all the good in the world."

"Oh, I am too lazy!" Camilla said. "I hate traveling when I am not well, and, you see, Rupert is still so new. I must get a little more used to him before I go rushing off to the other side of the world with him. And then I must have a trousseau. Besides, we have settled to wait till Easter. Rupert is so busy. He is throwing himself into the role of the ready-made father with the greatest zest. You should see all the arrangements he is making for the children. He bought Betty a pony the other day. I wish he would buy Katherine for me. I am so afraid one of these days she will fly away and leave us."

She had fallen into the trick of sitting a great deal in the little room that was called Katherine's sitting-room; her one interest at this moment was in putting together a charming wardrobe for the girl, and no one knew how to buy prettier clothes better than Mrs. Lancing.

That same day after she had been chatting with Mrs. Brenton, she climbed slowly up the stairs to the children's floor, but she found it empty.

No place is lonely, however, that is dedicated to the use of children, and she walked through the large rooms (that no amount of tidiness would keep tidy) smiling sometimes, and sometimes standing and looking wistfully about her.

As she passed through the night nursery she paused in front of the portrait of Betty's father.

"Sometimes when Cuthbert is talking I could almost imagine Ned was in the room," she said to herself.

She put the portrait down abruptly, and biting her lip she went through to the sitting-room again.

"How lovely it would be if I could go abroad with Katherine and the children! I wonder if he would let us do that?" This thought brought a frown. The more she realized that Rupert Haverford had the right to dominate her the more she chafed at her position.

[To Be Continued Tomorrow.]

W. C. Reynolds, a farmer near Montgomery, Ala., is held by the Federal authorities on a peonage charge. It is alleged that in order to collect a debt owned him by Pinkie Harris, an old negro woman, he held her three sons in involuntary servitude for several months.

SEGREGATION.

RAILROADS ARE BEING DIVORCED.

ROCK ISLAND, 'FRISCO AND THE CHOCTAW ARE INVOLVED.

Plans for Segregation of These Systems Are Being Carried Out Because of the Criticism Directed Against the First Named Due to Stifling of Competition.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] It was admitted today by Rock Island officials that plans were under way for the segregation of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific, the St. Louis and San Francisco and the Choctaw, Oklahoma and Gulf railroad systems.

This statement was made in connection with an announcement by Gov. Haskell of Oklahoma that B. F. Winchell, president of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific, and W. J. Biddell, the traffic manager, had assured the State Attorney-General and himself that the Rock Island management was making definite progress in the dissolution of the three systems.

It is understood that this plan is under way because of criticism directed at the Rock Island system, based on the fact that it is a consolidation of many lines that are very generally regarded as parallel and competing railroads.

It was in Oklahoma, especially, that legislation was directed against the system on the grounds that the Rock Island, 'Frisco and Choctaw roads were under the same management and permitted no competition between the lines.

POLICE TO GUARD TAFT.

Secretary of War Will Be Carefully Protected While in Chicago and Omaha.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHICAGO, March 31.—Unusual precautions will be taken by the police to protect Secretary Taft from possible mishap during his visit to Chicago this week.

The name of the railroad over which he is to arrive is to be kept secret and while he is in Chicago police will guard him constantly.

During his stay Secretary Taft will appear only once before the general public. That will be on Saturday afternoon at the Hamilton Club, when there will be a public reception in his honor. To this reception all people in Chicago have been invited.

TWO DAYS IN OMAHA.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

OMAHA, March 31.—Secretary Taft will spend two days, April 6 and 7, in this city and Council Bluffs and the police of the two cities will combine their efforts to protect the party while within their jurisdiction.

PUSH TELEPHONE WAR.

Independents for First Time Have Salaried Officers to Inaugurate Policy of Aggressiveness.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHICAGO, March 31.—Permanent headquarters of the Independent Telephone Association were opened here today with the purpose of inaugurating a policy of aggressiveness that the organization expects will put a new complexion upon the telephone situation in America.

For the first time in the history of the independent telephone movement and the organization there is a salaried president, S. C. Lidemuth of Richmond, Ind., and a salaried secretary, J. B. Ware of Detroit, Mich., both of whom, with a corps of assistants, will devote their entire time to organization and field work stimulating and promoting the coöperative objects of the association.

Sunday Times Feature.

A supplement, printed on calendered paper, will be put out with The Times of April 5, showing President Roosevelt in 100 different poses; at home, in official life, making campaign speeches, in the field and on the boat.

Theodore Roosevelt!

The strenuous life of this President of the United States is truly portrayed in the artistic grouping of 100 likenesses of him, which will be put out in the form of a supplement, printed on calendered paper, with the Sunday Times of April 5.

What Causes Headache.

From October to May, colds are the most frequent cause of headache. Laxative Bromo Quinine removes cause. E. W. Grove on box. 25c.